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ENDEAVOUR CREW WERE ALL READY TO JUMP FOR LIVES

Startling Disclosures Of Yacht Series

SEQUEL TO BEING BADLY FOULED AT START

New York, To-day.
It is considered aboard Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour that she was so badly fouled during one of the starts in the America's Cup series, in which she lost to the Vanderbilt syndicate's Rainbow by 4 wins to 2, that the amateur crew were thereafter instructed to regard their places aboard in order that they might jump for their lives with the minimum of delay should the emergency arise.

According to a member of the Royal Corinthian Yacht Club, who was one of the Endeavour's amateur crew, though he positively refused to allow his name to be revealed, all the Endeavour's crew felt that much bitterness would have been saved if the New York Yacht Club had overlooked the protest flag technicality and at least listened to Tom Sopwith's protest even if they had overruled it.—Reuter.

Seawanaka Challenge Cup Series Starts

Oyster Bay, To-day.
Following the contest for the British-American cup, which was won by America in a clean sweep, the Seawanaka Challenge Cup series is now being contested by one yacht from each country.

The first race was called off when the American representative, Bobkat, was second to the British yacht, Kyla, which took 3 1/2 hours of the four-hour limit to complete half of the 12-mile course. Bobkat was leading in the earlier stages of the race. The yacht to win three races will be declared the winner.—Reuter.

WANDA MORGAN SOLE BRITISH GOLF SURVIVOR

Diana Fishwick Beaten By 16-Year-Old

UPSETS IN U.S. WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP

Philadelphia, To-day.
Wanda Morgan is the lone British survivor in the American National Women's Golf Championship at the White Marsh Valley Country Club. Yesterday she entered the Third Round while her colleagues, Diana Fishwick, Miss Goulay, Miss Chambers, and Diana Plumpton fell by the wayside.

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Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:
FIRST ROUND
Miss Goulay (British) beat Mrs. Reid (U.S.) 4 and 3.
Miss Fishwick (British) beat Miss Chambers (British) 2 and 0.
Wanda Morgan (British) beat Mrs. Hackney (U.S.) 6 and 5.
Miss Jameson (U.S.) beat Miss Plumpton (British) 3 and 2.
Miss Quier (U.S.) beat Miss Robinson (U.S.) 8 and 2.

SECOND ROUND
Mrs. Turpin (U.S.) beat Miss Goulay 3 and 2.
Miss Langg (U.S.) beat Miss Fishwick 3 and 1.
Wanda Morgan beat Miss Richards (U.S.) 5 and 4.



Benjamin F. Varn, pensioned ex sailor, is under arrest in New York, charged with sending Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt a letter threatening the kidnapping of the President's grandchildren unless demands for \$168,000 were met. His home is in Charleston, S.C.

AMERICA'S SPORTS EXTRAVAGANZA

World Baseball Series Opens To-day

CARDINALS FAVOURED

New York, To-day.
The World Baseball Series, America's greatest sports extravaganza, beside which the American's Cup, golf, tennis, and even football pale, opens at Detroit today.

Fair, cool weather, is the weather forecast with possibly a light frost last night to chill to the marrow the 100 baseball diehards who are waiting in queues throughout the night for the cheap uncovered seats.

The odds are 15 to 4 and 8 to 1, respectively, against Detroit Tigers and St. Louis Cardinals winning the title in four straight games. Tom Kearney, veteran betting commissioner of St. Louis, last night installed the Cardinals at 7 to 10 as favourites to win the series.

Judge Kenes A. W. Mountain and J. E. Landis, Baseball Commissioner predict that it will be a bitterly fought series full of colour.

Over 60,000,000 ardent fans are expected to listen in to the ball by ball wireless description to be relayed to all parts of the world.

Detroit, famous automobile city, is jammed with visitors, the hotels and centres being almost incoherent with debates on the outcome of the sell-out expected at Navin Field.—Reuter.

WINNIPEG WHEAT FRENZY

Bedlam Reigns In Grain Pit

INVESTIGATION SCARE

Winnipeg, To-day.
Frenzied dealings in wheat occurred on the grain exchange here yesterday, following the decision to call a meeting of members to debate the suggestion of Mr. McFarland, General manager of the wheat pool, that dealings in wheat futures should be investigated.

Mr. McFarland alleged that speculators were trying to undermine the whole price structure.

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Government Not Taking Over Machinery

Winnipeg, To-day.
Usually well-informed traders on the grain exchange discount the press reports to the effect that the Government is contemplating taking over the grain marketing machinery.

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MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S PESSIMISM

"TRADE DIFFICULTIES ARE INCREASING"
STERLING INDEPENDENCE POLICY REITERATED

LONDON, To-day.
IN A SPEECH TO CITY OF LONDON BANKERS AND MERCHANTS, LAST NIGHT, THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER, MR. NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN, SAID THAT NOTWITHSTANDING THAT BRITISH EXPORTS FOR THE FIRST MONTHS OF 1934 WERE £20,000,000 ABOVE THOSE OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR, THE DIFFICULTIES OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE SEEM TO BE INCREASING RATHER THAN DECREASING.

Sterling had recently showed a certain seasonal weakness accentuated by financial and political events abroad, he said. "I do not anticipate that it is more than a passing phase," he added.

IT WAS THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY TO MAINTAIN THE INDEPENDENCE OF STERLING AND IRON OUT THE EXCESSIVE FLUCTUATIONS, HE CONTINUED. THEY HAD NEVER ATTEMPTED TO FIX THE EXCHANGE AT A GIVEN POINT OR MAINTAIN IT EVEN WITHIN A FIXED LIMIT IN OPPOSITION TO SEASONAL OR OTHER POWERFUL INFLUENCES.

KINGSFORD SMITH WITHDRAWS

Not Competing In Air Race To Melbourne

ENGINE MISHAP

Sydney, To-day.
In consequence of a mishap to his machine and the impossibility of effecting repairs in time to reach London for the start of the race, Sir Charles Kingsford Smith has withdrawn from the London-Melbourne air race, but intends, immediately the race is finished, to endeavour to better the winner's time.—Reuter.

U.S. BOMBING PLANE CRASHES IN FLAMES

One Of Four Survivors By Parachute Leap

Bishop, California, To-day.
An Army bombing plane crashed in flames in the mountains near here, yesterday. Three of the four members of the crew were killed. The survivor escaped in a parachute.—Reuter.

HOSPITAL OUTRAGE IN SHANGHAI

10 Persons Arrested On Suspicion

ARMS HAUL AS POLICE COMB DISTRICTS

Shanghai, To-day.
Ten persons suspected of being involved in the killing of a Chinese patient in the Lester Hospital and the killing of two Chinese constables when the murderers made their escape, on September 26, were handed over to the Bureau of Public Safety, yesterday afternoon. The suspects, including one woman, were arrested during a series of raids made by police from (Continued on Page 18)

CONSTABLE BURIED WITH FULL POLICE HONOURS

Shanghai, To-day.
The highest and the lowest members of the international Settlements police attended the funeral yesterday afternoon of the Chinese constable slain in the Lester Hospital shooting, army.—Reuter.

The link with sterling, established by countries within and without the Empire, had been maintained unimpaired, and was now becoming a recognised feature of the international monetary system.

Mr. Chamberlain referred appreciatively to the past year's steps to establish central banks within the Empire, tending to promote common Imperial objects of monetary policy.

The noted financier, and former Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Robert Horne, held the opinion that sterling, recently, had been considerably over-valued. "It would be good for British bankers if we got back to another level," he declared.—Reuter.

Weary Of International Conferences

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, in a speech at the Bankers' Banquet at the Mansion House, last night, reiterated the Government policy "to maintain the independence of sterling."

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STERLING PROTECTION WEAKENED?

New York, To-day.—Foreign exchange specialists believe that the British Equalisation Fund is in such a weakened condition that it is unable to halt the decline in sterling.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

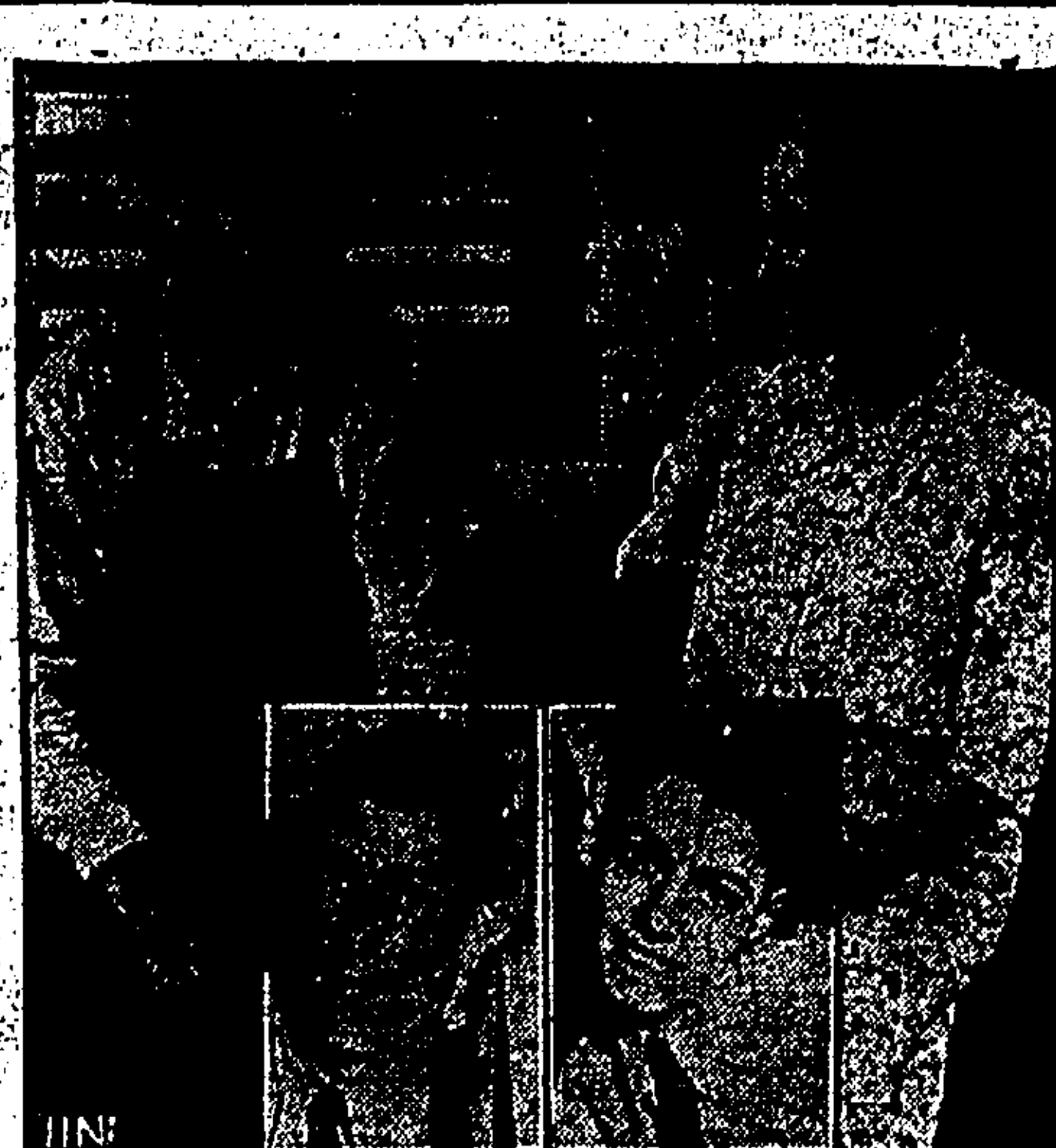
NEW TYPHOON FORMS OFF PHILIPPINES

Well Over 1,000 Miles From Colony

A typhoon has formed in about 130 Longitude east and 16 latitude north, and is moving north-west according to a report this morning from the Manila Observatory, issued from the American Consul. Though the typhoon is well over 1,000 miles away, on its present course it should pass very close to the Colony. The recent typhoon, which passed south of Hong Kong is said to have filled up to the east of Hainan.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair generally, with fresh east wind, but the weather forecast for to-day, as issued this morning by the Royal Observatory.



Suggestion of medical authorities that her sons, John, left, and Glenn, right, should undergo operations in an effort to save them from death from a strange hereditary paralysis which has left their bodies twisted and deformed, has been refused by Mrs. Alice Dietrich, of Belmont, O., pictured with her husband, Adolph Dietrich.

JAPAN'S ARMY PAMPHLET

CHINESE MOTOR SHIP BLAZE NEAR AMOY ON SUNDAY

Passengers And Crew Rescued From Stricken Vessel

Shanghai, To-day.
Twenty-eight of the Chinese passengers and the crew of the Chinese motor-ship, Sui Hwa, which caught fire near Amoy on Sunday afternoon, were saved by the China Navigation Company's Tsinan and the Java-China Japan Line's Tjidadak. Both noted the signal of distress on the Sui Hwa's port bow and launched life boats which effected the rescue of all the passengers and crew.—Reuter.

BANDITS KIDNAP 220 PUPILS

Completely Surrounded By Troops

Dairen, To-day.
Forty bandits to-day stormed and kidnapped four instructors and 220 pupils at the Manchuria Primary School at Kaolimen, on the Mukden-Antung Railway line. The bandits retreated into a Kaolimen field and are now completely surrounded by troops which are hesitating to attack. The recovery of the captives, however, is expected.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI WITHOUT MEAT TO-DAY

Animal Festival Day

Shanghai, To-day.
The Mayor of Shanghai, Mr. Wu Teh-chen, has ordered that no meat be sold to-morrow, which is Animal Festival Day, in accordance with the petition by the China National Animal Protection Association.—Reuter.

JUNK FOUNDERS IN HARBOUR

Passengers crossing the harbour this morning from Howloon (on the 8.30 a.m. Electric Star) witnessed the foundering of a small junk which became submerged within a few minutes. A police launch was however, quickly on the scene and rescued the luckless occupants before the junk sank.

NATIONAL DEFENCE INTENSIFICATION IS NOW ADVOCATED

Soviet And America Cause Anxiety

MESSAGE ABSTRACTLY AGAINST CAPITALIST

A tremendous sensation and a rising tide of criticism has been caused by the Army Press Bureau's pamphlet advocating an intensification of National defence in view of the 1935/36 crisis.

The pamphlet, which is abstractly against the capitalist, advocates State Socialism and inferentially asserts that Japan is threatened by several foreign countries, notably the U. S. S. R. and the United States.

The criticism is strengthened by the fact, that the War Office chiefs approved the pamphlet prior to publication.—Reuter.

HUGE OPIUM HAUL IN SHANGHAI

38,000 Pills Seized In Red Plants

Shanghai, To-day.
The Concession police yesterday afternoon raided two red opium pill plants. Two Chinese were arrested and equipment and 38,000 pills seized.—Reuter.

FAR EASTERN TROPICAL DISEASE CONFERENCE

Shanghai, To-day.—The Far Eastern Tropical Disease Conference is scheduled to open this morning at Nanking.—Reuter.

ANGLO-LATVIAN AGREEMENT

London, To-day.—Ratifications of the Anglo-Latvian commercial agreement were exchanged at the Foreign Office yesterday by Mr. Charles Zarnke, the Latvian Minister in London, and Sir John Simon, the British Secretary of State.—British Wireless Service.

WAR OVER IN TWO DAYS

PLANES SHOULD BE DESIGNED FOR JAPAN ATTACK
ARMY OFFICIAL'S WARNING

AVIATION COMMISSION REVIEW SITUATION

AKRON LOSS ONE OF U.S. DISGRACES

Washington, To-day.
"Our most dangerous enemy is Japan," declared Brig.-General William Mitchell, former Assistant Chief of Military Aviation, speaking yesterday at a meeting of President Roosevelt's Aviation Commission.

American planes should be designed for an attack on Japan, he said. With 50 more airships, the United States could destroy Japan within two days if war broke out.

Describing the loss of the airship Akron as disgraceful, he said that numerous accidents to United States airships were due either to gross stupidity on the part of those who send out the ships, or the inability of the crews to handle the ships.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S NEW PLAN FOR WORLD PEACE NOW FORMULATED

Reduction Of Offensive Armaments

YAMAMOTO EXPLAINS WHY WASHINGTON TREATY IS NOT SUITABLE

Seattle, To-day.
His mission to London was to announce Japan's abrogation of the naval treaties and to offer a new plan for world peace based on a reduction of offensive armaments. Rear-Admiral Yamamoto, the Japanese delegate to the preparatory naval discussions in London, informed reporters here yesterday.

He said that when England and America understood the real reason for abrogation, any ruffles that might arise from Japan's relations with those Powers would soon subside.

Japan's reasons, he said, included the belief that the Washington Treaty established a ratio based on forces which the three nations happened at that time to possess and not to their defensive needs. Japan's ideal was that the nations should be permitted arms sufficient to guarantee national safety and none possess armaments that might constitute a menace to another nation.—Reuter.

MAIL SCHEDULES

Money Order Office

It is hereby notified that as from 1st October Money Orders expressed in Shanghai dollars will be obtainable at the Money Order Counter. The service is restricted to orders issued on the Shanghai Office of Exchange and the Chinese Offices served by Shanghai.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

Rajputana (via Suez) Oct. 3

FROM JAPAN

Arabi Maru Oct. 5
Brishane Maru Oct. 5
Pres. Grant Oct. 5
Rawalpindi Oct. 5
Tatsuta Maru Oct. 5
Toba Maru Oct. 7
Lima Maru Oct. 8
Tango Maru Oct. 10
Tilawa Oct. 10

FROM AMERICA & CANADA

Pres. Grant Oct. 5

FROM MANILA

Empress of Asia Oct. 3
Nellore Oct. 3
General Lee Oct. 5
Pres. Hoover Oct. 5
Changte Oct. 12

FROM SHANGHAI

Sunning Oct. 3
Pres. Grant Oct. 5
Rawalpindi Oct. 5
Tatsuta Maru Oct. 5
Menuthous Oct. 5
Conte Verde Oct. 11
Terukuni Maru Oct. 11
Bangalore Oct. 12

FROM STRAITS

Hakodate Maru Oct. 3
Bhutan Oct. 3
Achilles Oct. 8
Behar Oct. 13
Katori Maru Oct. 13
Sarpedon Oct. 13

FROM AUSTRALIA

Nellore Oct. 3
Changte Oct. 12

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE

Chichibu Maru (via Siberia) Oct. 3
Closes Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 8.30 a.m.
Empress of Asia (via Siberia) Oct. 5
Closes Reg. 9.15 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.
Pres. Hoover (via Siberia) Oct. 6
Closes Reg. 9.15 a.m. Ord. 10 a.m.
Rawalpindi (Air Mail Service) Oct. 6
Porthos (via Siberia) Oct. 6

FOR JAPAN

Chichibu Maru Oct. 3
Empress of Asia Oct. 5
General Lee Oct. 5
Pres. Hoover Oct. 6

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Chichibu Maru Oct. 3
Empress of Asia Oct. 5
General Lee Oct. 5
Pres. Hoover Oct. 6

FOR MANILA

Pres. Grant Oct. 6

FOR SHANGHAI

Chichibu Maru Oct. 3
Empress of Asia Oct. 5
General Lee Oct. 5
Pres. Hoover Oct. 6
Porthos Oct. 6

FOR STRAITS & INDIA

Philoctetes Oct. 3
Cromer Oct. 4
Arabia Maru Oct. 5
Rawalpindi Oct. 6
Kumang Oct. 9
Conte Verde Oct. 11

FOR AUSTRALIA

Brisbane Maru (Due Brisbane) Oct. 5

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The Woman's Page

Handknit Frocks Worn
For All Occasions
Satins Are Coming Into
Popularity

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The elderberry contains a chemical beneficial for throat and chest troubles. Make some elderberry wine this autumn and if you feel a chill coming on take it hot at bedtime.

DECOLLETAGES

Decolletages may be low back and front, high at the back and low in front, or high in front and backless.

Paris. There was a time when knitting never meant anything more exciting than warm, substantial garments and the despised, thick, and very practical stockings, mitts and ear-muffs of our youth. Not one of the industrious knitters of those days ever dreamed that the click of the needles would come to mean glamorous, siren-like dresses, as smart and as original as any silks or satins.

The hand-knitted dress or suit has by now become an almost indispensable number in the modern woman's wardrobe. For all-day wear in town, it fears very little competition, provided of course it is skilfully knitted and perfectly fitted. Its first advantage is that it does not crease and so far as texture and weaves go, tricot now offer as many varieties as fabrics.

Not content with invading the sports and informal category of dress, the hand-knit garment has recently made a bold and seemingly successful bid for recognition in the field of informal evening clothes. hem which reaches to the ankles. In beige or black, this makes an elegant, practical and essentially original afternoon model for casino or formal resort wear.

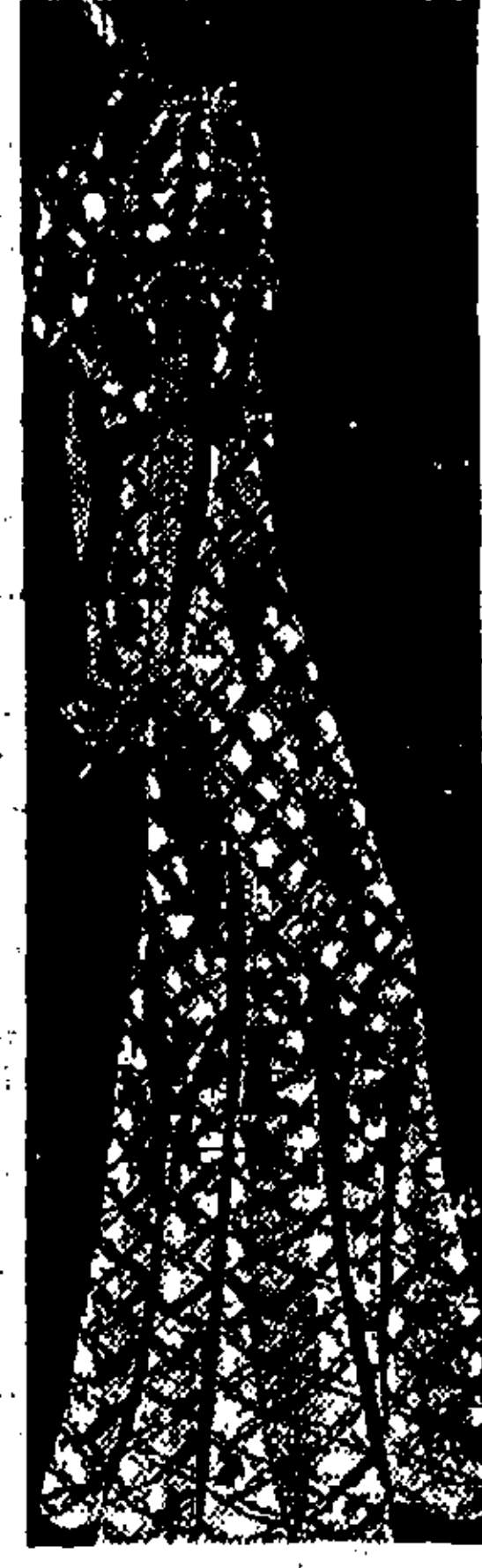
Informal Gown

Alix Barton knits heavy cotton thread into a charming informal dinner dress, which would be very useful and attractive for country club dining. The skirt is moderately long, just reaching to the ankles and with the slightest hint of fullness starting from the knees. The cap sleeves, softly gathered front, neckline and rounded decollete at the back are the very acme of simplicity, with the velvet ribbon which holds the top together providing the colour contrast and original touch demanded of this type of dress. The belt is fashioned of a thick strand of the yarn held together with bands of cellophane, in black to match the velvet ribbon at the neck.

Cocktail Suit

Madame de Nagornoff is the creator of a beautiful evening dress and jacket, as well as of an equally attractive cocktail suit, which will probably set the mode for resort wear. The evening dress is cut on slim, flowing princess lines, with the front fullness introduced in the mode this season. The top is plain, moderately decollete in the back and V-necked in front, with a fancy stitch in the sole trimming. Salmon pink artificial silk yarn fashions the dress. The jacket which completes it is made of the same salmon pink yarn, with the artfully-worked stripes in bright blue and silver. Silver chain buttons hold it together.

The cocktail model is fashioned of beige silk and wool yarn with a gold metal thread running through it. The jacket is nipped in at the waist and fastens with one button in front and the skirt is made up of four sections with a gently flaring



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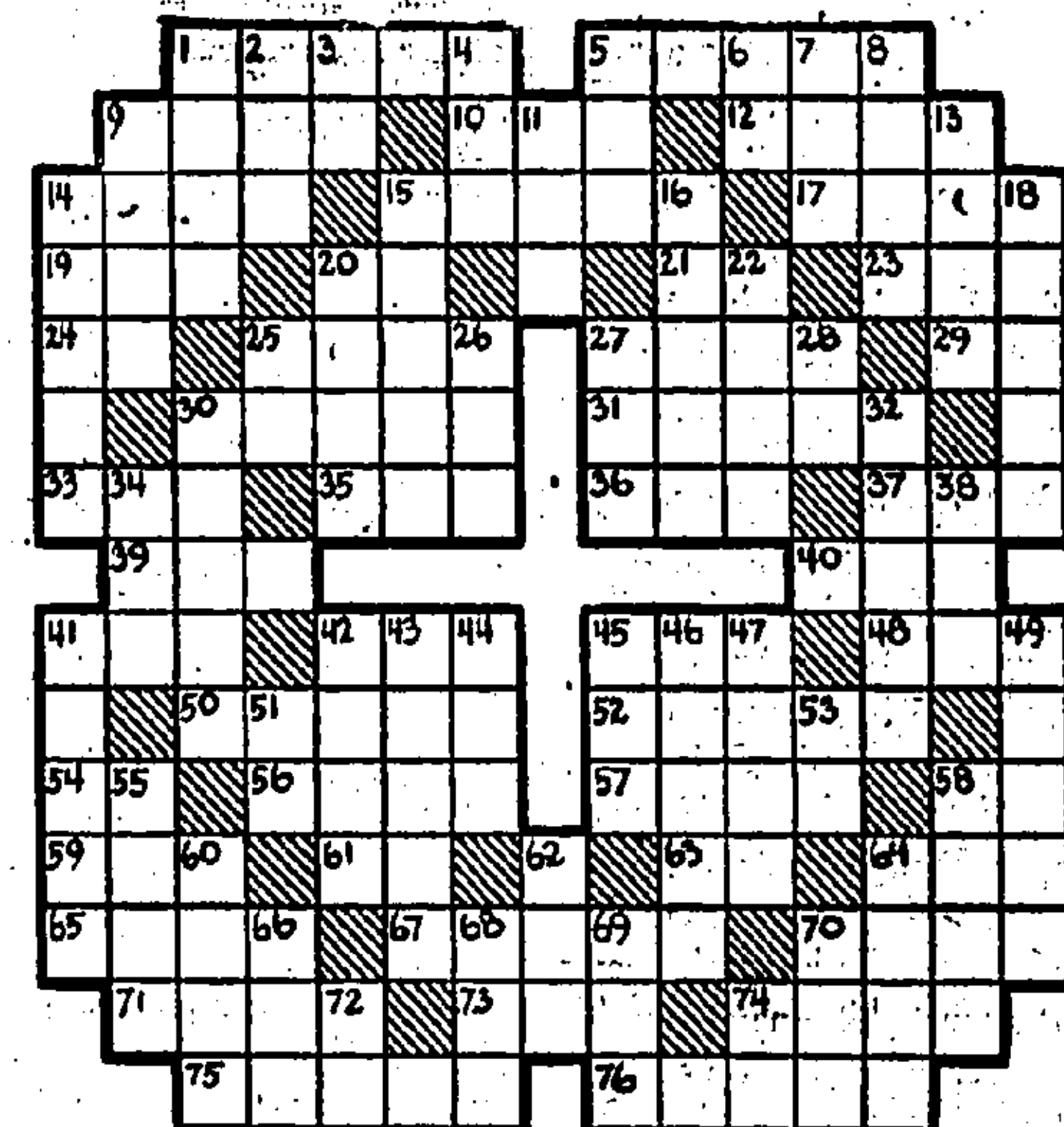
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- HORIZONTAL**
- 1-Bundle of twigs
 - 5-Bush fence
 - 9-Game played on horseback
 - 10-Before
 - 12-A grain
 - 14-Pond
 - 15-Paper measure (pl.)
 - 17-Large stick
 - 19-Uneven
 - 20-Very
 - 21-Preposition
 - 23-At present
 - 24-Exile
 - 27-Volcanic rock
 - 29-You and I
 - 30-Employ
 - 31-Rollover
 - 33-Girl's name
 - 35-Noah's ship
 - 35-Skiff
 - 37-A letter
 - 38-Writing fluid
 - 40-Exist
 - 41-Marry
 - 42-Fondle
 - 45-Especially (abbr.)
 - 46-Large cask
 - 48-Explain
 - 52-Depart
 - 54-Info
 - 56-Plant
 - 57-Boy's name
- HORIZONTAL (Cont.)**
- 58-Exit
 - 58-Crime
 - 61-Indefinite article
 - 62-Pronoun
 - 64-Part of the mouth
 - 65-Placed
 - 67-Short gutters
 - 70-Ingratiate
 - 71-Snare
 - 73-Constellation
 - 74-Male singing voice
 - 76-Perform
 - 76-Hope
- VERTICAL**
- 1-Diet
 - 2-The whole
 - 3-Depart
 - 4-Golf mound
 - 5-Edge
 - 6-Act
 - 7-Breach
 - 8-English school
 - 9-Seed covering (pl.)
 - 11-Strike gently
 - 13-Tardy
 - 14-State of being
 - 15-balcony
 - 16-Wanderer
 - 16-Narrow strip of leather
 - 18-Wide-mouthed pitcher
 - 20-Girl's name
- VERTICAL (Cont.)**
- 22-Kiln for drying hops
 - 25-Fifty-one (Rom.)
 - 26-Bessie
 - 27-A beverage
 - 28-Pronoun
 - 30-Part of the arm (pl.)
 - 32-Assist
 - 34-Content
 - 38-Ocean
 - 41-Twirl
 - 42-Entreaty
 - 43-Levels
 - 44-Spread loosely for drying, as flax
 - 45-Addition to one side of a house
 - 46-Apparear
 - 47-Cover with pavement
 - 48-Allure
 - 51-Bone (Lat.)
 - 55-Six (Rom.)
 - 58-Trim
 - 58-Ventilate
 - 60-Terrible
 - 62-Distant
 - 64-Final
 - 66-Boy's name (short)
 - 68-Lump of butter
 - 68-Wake lace
 - 70-A dance
 - 72-Father (short)
 - 74-A dry measure (abbr.)

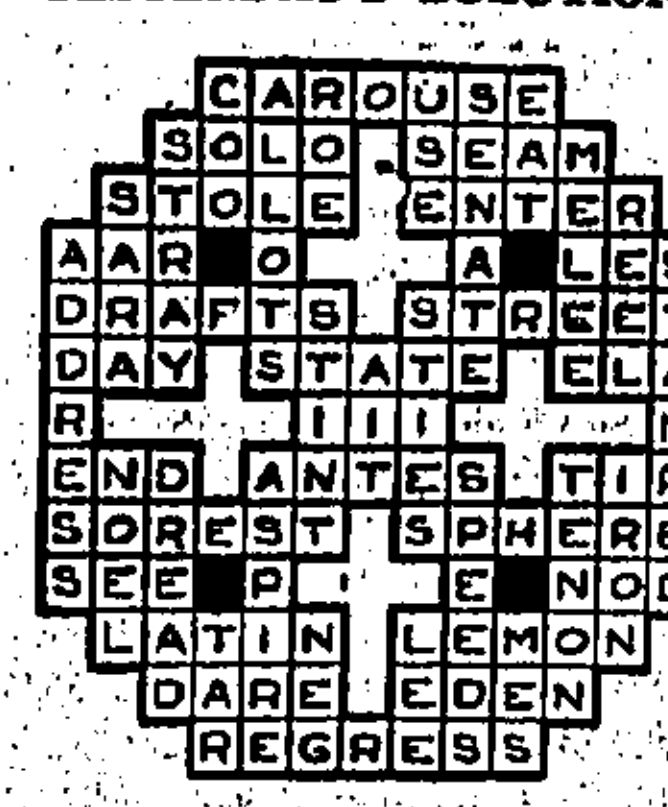
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By Order,

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hong Kong, 1st October, 1934.

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NOTICE.

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BRIDGE NOTES

Slam Bidding

by Ely Culbertson.

The good ship "Haiti" was plow-
ing the blue waters of the Carri-
bean, where, in another eye, richly
laden Spanish galleons put on every
inch of available sail to out-speed
the pirate craft captained by Mor-
gan and others of that romantic
age.

However, in the smoke-room of
the ship there were four players
who were not interested in the
placid blue of the waters nor in
the stories of piracy or conquest, so
rich in this section of the New
World. They were intent instead
upon a game of Contract Bridge.

The participants in the game
were two gentlemen from New
England—Mr. Walter Pendleton of
Boston, and Mr. Ladd of Bristol,
Conn., playing East and West
against Mr. Earl N. Culter of Mor-
ristown, N. J., and Mr. William J.
Huske of New York City. Mr.
Culter was seated South, as Dealer,
and distributed the cards as fol-
lows:

South, Dealer
North and South vulnerable

North—

S—A J 6 5

H—K 10 8 6

D—A K J 3

C—6

West—

S—9 8 4 2

H—J 9 3

D—8

C—K 10 9 5 2

East—

S—10 7 3

H—Q 5 4 2

D—9 5

C—Q J 8 4

South—

S—K Q

H—A 7

D—Q 10 7 6 4 2

C—A 7 3

Mr. Culter

The bidding: (Figures after
bids refer to numbered explana-
tory paragraphs).

South West North East

1D Pass 2S Pass

3NT Pass 4NT (1) Pass

5NT (2) Pass 6D (3) Pass

7D (4) Pass Pass Pass

1—Mr. Culter and his partner had
had no discussion of methods of
bidding, except that they used
the Culbertson System. It was
the first occasion during the
session in which an opportunity
to test out Slam bidding had
come up, and the Conventic-
had not been mentioned betwee-
the partners. Mr. Huske de-
cided to test his partner's know-
ledge of this convention.

2—Mr. Culter afterwards explain-
ed that he had never used the
Convention before in actual
play, his only knowledge of it
being from reading some of my
articles in newspapers. Of
course, his response is perfect-
ly correct.

3—Probably North at this point
should bid seven diamonds. His
holding in diamonds is so
strong that he can scarcely ex-
pect his partner to have strength
enough to bid again, and yet, in
view of the vulnerable Opening
and Rebid, a Grand Slam ap-
pears extremely probable.

4—A beautiful bid on the part of
Mr. Culter. He reasons that
inasmuch as he holds the King-
Queen of spades, the Ace of
hearts and the Ace of Clubs,
North's "Forcing Takeout and
subsequent Raise to a Small
Slam in diamonds must show
both the Ace and King of dia-
monds, in which case the Grand
Slam is a laydown. Obviously
the bid of the Grand Slam is
correct.

Of course, there was nothing to
the play of the hand. A club was
opened, the adverse trumps drawn,
and all 18 tricks cashed!

I have no doubt that Mr. Culter
spent an enjoyable vacation on
his sea trip to the tropics, and I
feel quite sure that one of the
events of that trip that he will re-
count with as great pleasure as
only other in the bidding and mak-
ing of this Grand Slam contract—
the fact, as he stated, of his Bridge
career.

Amusements

Cinema Notes

"MURDER AT THE VANITIES"
—KING'S THEATRE

With 11 of Earl Carroll's beau-
ties, Carlo Brisson, noted con-
tinental and English screen and
stage star, Victor McLaglen, Jack
Oakie, Kitty Corliss, and Duke
Ellington and his famous or-
chestra are featured in the cast
of "Murder at the Vanities," a
Paramount production heralded
with a fanfare of trumpets.

The story centres round a
jealous girl (Gertrude Michael),
who vows revenge against Bris-
son. No one knows who Brisson's
mother is save Miss Michael, and
she further knows that Brisson's
mother, who was once a famous
opera star, is wanted in Vienna
for murder.

To prevent further trouble from
her, a hired detective is detailed
to watch her. Then, while the
orchestra is gaily playing and the
girls are dancing and singing to a
throne of first-nighters, the slas-
ter hand of a murder gets busy in
the back stage.

Two crimes are committed, Mc-
Laglen, the detective, is called,
and the manner in which he
humorously solves the unique
situation while the musical show
goes on is both thrilling and en-
tertaining.

"THE THIN MAN"—QUEEN'S
THEATRE

William Powell, the actor of
many gentleman crook roles, gives
an excellent characterisation of a
retired detective in Metro-Goldwyn-
Mayer's current production "The
Thin Man", now at the Queen's
Theatre.

Powell comes in a role that is
entirely different from the usual
trend of detective films. He is
cast as a retired detective, living
mostly on alcohol, and on the
money that his wife, excellently
played by Myrna Loy, has in-
herited.

Powell and Miss Loy are just
enjoying life and letting the world
go by, when he, against his will,
is dragged into a most perplexing
mystery, and eventually into solv-
ing it.

Maureen O'Sullivan, Nat Pendle-
ton, and Minna Gombell are in the
supporting cast.

"CHILD OF MANHATTAN"—
ALHAMBRA THEATRE

Clever dialogue and good act-
ing are featured in "Child Of
Manhattan," the Columbia picture
now showing at the Alhambra
Theatre.

Nancy Carroll has the leading
role and is ably supported by John
Boles, Charles (Buck) Jones,
Clara Blandick, Jane Darwell,
Gary Owen, Luis Alberni, Betty
Grable and several other excel-
lent players.

"Child Of Manhattan" is a story
of a square-shooting taxi-dancer,
an employee of "Loveland," a
dance establishment occupying
property owned by the fabulously
wealthy Vanderkills. When the
strait-laced aunt of the family
suggests eviction, the widower
who is the head of the family un-
dertakes to investigate before
taking drastic action—and runs
into Nancy Carroll and a love
which starts badly but ends well.

It boasts no new plot, but it has
exceptionally clever lines. The
element of comedy is there, too,
with Clara Blandick handling it
to perfection and scoring particu-
larly in a barroom scene in
which this "perfect lady from
Hamborg" rises to histrionic
heights.

"THE SHOW-OFF"—STAR
THEATRE

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has never
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ture than "The Show-Off," featur-
ing Spencer Tracy, in the current
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Broadway with laughter and which
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come to a hilarious climax. It is
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such favorites as Madge Evans,
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Grant Mitchell, and Claude Gil-
lingwater.

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Sporting Page

WEMYSS ANALYSES LATEST ALTERATIONS TO RUGBY RULES

FINDING AN OPPONENT FOR MAX BAER FOR TITLE

Steve Hamas Looms On Horizon As Likely Contender

New York, September 26. The search for a heavyweight to meet Max Baer for the world's boxing championship starts to-morrow night, in Madison Square Garden, when Art Loosky engages Steve Hamas. The winner is likely to be matched in February with either Walter Neusel of Germany or Carnera, who probably will fight late this winter. The February victor is expected to fight Baer in June.—United Press.

PITCHING PROBLEM FOR CARDINALS

Frisch Keeps "Mastery Silence"

WORLD SERIES AGAINST THE TIGERS TO-DAY

Detroit, To-day. Frankie Frisch, manager of St. Louis Cardinals, National League champions, who meet Detroit Tigers, winners of the American League pennant, in the first game of the World Baseball Series to-day, is faced with the problem of selecting his pitcher for the initial clash and continues to maintain mastery silence.

Dizzy Dean, who blanked Cincinnati Reds in the last game of the League, is undoubtedly Frisch's star hurler, but he is unquestionably tired after his big effort, and the choice will therefore probably fall on either Paul Dean or "Wild" Bill Hallahan, the odds favouring the latter, who is considered the best money pitcher in major league baseball.

Mickey Cochrane, manager of the Tigers, has announced that he expects to use Alvin Crowder against the Cardinals in the first meeting if Dizzy Dean is chosen for the other side; otherwise he intends to use "Schoolboy" Rowe, his star pitcher.

Meanwhile the automobile city of Detroit, is baseball mad, and fans are already lining up at the gates of the baseball park hoping to secure the best of the unreserved seats.—Reuter

DETROIT NEVER CHAMPIONS
Detroit Tigers have yet to win the World Championship, though they were American League pennant winners three times in succession, in 1907, 1908 and in 1909. The Tigers secured the pennant this season after a thrilling tussle with New York Yankees. The Yankees, however, were shut-out by Johnnie Merena, of Boston Red Sox, in their final game by 5 to 0, thus giving the Tigers the necessary margin for victory.

NEARLY A TIE
A precedent was nearly set in the National League this season when New York Giants, world champions, almost forced a tie with St. Louis Cardinals. The Giants, however, suffered two successive defeats at the hands of Brooklyn Dodgers in their latter matches, and so were put out of the running. The Cardinals on the other hand, secured a shut-out victory over Cincinnati Reds in their final game to give them the pennant for the fifth time. The Cardinals won the World Championship in 1926 and 1931, and have won the National League on five occasions, in 1926, 1928, 1930, 1931, and 1934.

SOCCER'S COMMERCIALISM

Though there is no game I enjoy watching better than a fight between two first-class football clubs, you can have all the cricket—I dislike the blatant commercialism which now dominates the game.—Sir John Foster Fraser

SHANGHAI GOLF

ACCOMPLISHED NEW MEN TO ENTER FOR CHINA TITLE

C. Cumming's Improved Play Is Shanghai Hope

OCTOBER 10: LAST DAY FOR MAKING ENTRIES

Shanghai, September 29. Arrangements have been made for the annual Amateur Open Golf Championship of China to be played on October 20 and 21. It will be 72 holes medal play, 36 holes over Seekingjiao on Saturday, the 20th, and 36 holes over Hungjiao on Sunday, the 21st. Handicaps are limited to 10 and under, which must be certified.

A qualifying round of 36 holes medal will be played over Kiangwan on Sunday, October 14. Entries must be sent in by noon on Wednesday, October 10, to Mr. K. M. Cumming, Rooms 39 and 40, Stock Exchange Building, 16 Central Road (telephone, 15286).

Colony Players Entering

This year's championship should prove very interesting. In the first place, the Hong Kong Interport side will participate, and, though the full team is not yet known here, it is understood that "Young" Pearce, the son of "Tam" Pearce, the veteran Interport cricketer, will be one of them, and he is a very fine golfer.

Also there will be F. D. Hunter. His duties do not permit of much golf, as he spends his time travelling in the interior in the interests of Messrs. Butterfield's, but it is known that he is an absolutely first-class player, a "plus" man at home, and a one-hundred player in Hong Kong.

Another competitor of importance is A. P. Ricketts, who is certain to put up a very fine show. His length is tremendous, and he is a most beautiful putter. In addition to this he is very keen to do well in the championship and is putting in some hard practice to this end.

McTaggart's Challenge
Yet another new-comer of merit is McTaggart, also a good player and a big hitter. It is doubtful if Broadhurst of the Marines will take part, as he is due to sail for America early next month. It will be remembered that last year, at the end of three rounds, he was in the first three, but during the fourth round, played over Hungjiao, when playing a ball behind a tree, his steel-shafted iron wound itself round the tree, broke at the neck and the jagged end of the shaft entered his loin, inflicting a severe injury, and spoiling his chances of winning.

Of the local players, those most likely to be well in the running are J. W. Harrison, the present champion and undoubtedly the favourite, A. R. Binko, and C. O. Cumming. During the past few months, the latter has applied himself very seriously to the game, and as a consequence he has been scoring regularly in the low 70's over Hungjiao. He and Ricketts, although very fast swingers, are both natural players, with swings that rarely go out of joint.

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(By S. G. HEDGES)

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Dorothy Smith, 116 pounds, Miami, Fla., and Gloria DeLong, 120 pounds, New York, have been staging a wrestling tour of New England towns to get money that they say will be used to continue their education at New York University. They are here shown in a bout at Boston.

ARAB HORSES FOR NANKING

Hopes Of Starting New Breed With More Stamina

TO BE CLOSED WITH CHINA PONY

Shanghai, September 29. An attempt is to be made in the near future to cross the China pony with the pure-bred Arab horse, in the hope of producing an animal of more strength and stamina than the former. For this purpose, ten pure-bred Kochani Arab horses, six of whom are stallions and four mares, were recently imported by the Southern Cross Co. for the Chinese Ministry of War.

The animals, who are at present sent in Shanghai, are being sent up to Nanking to-night by train. Four Arab breeders made the sea voyage from Iraq to Shanghai and one of them is going to Nanking to supervise the care of the animals. If the experiment proves successful, the new breed will be used for military purposes.

TO-DAY'S POLO GAME

Shanghai Team Mix with Colony Players

The South Wales Borderers, holders of the Navy Cup, will meet the Past and Present members of the Shanghai Light Horse at Causeway Bay in a four chukka match, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

The teams are:—Borderers: D. P. Yates, J. L. Jordan, A. J. Stocker, and C. F. Blackden.
Light Horse: W. L. Newbigging, John Keswick, W. J. Keswick, and L. Andrews.

Strength And Endurance

Regarding the breeding of Arab horses, it is interesting to note that they were imported into England some years ago in large numbers, but they are now heavily inbred and cannot compare with their brothers of Arabia for strength and endurance. This fact was taken into consideration by the Chinese Government and, though there is no doubt the de-

TUNG HWA SOCCER PLAYERS WIN

Successful Tour Of North

Peking, September 27. Making a successful debut in Peking, the Tung Hwa Soccer team from Shanghai, who did not lose a single game in Peking, defeated the Chen Hwan eleven by 3 goals to 1 this afternoon.

The Peking men, who are considered the best Chinese team here, had difficulty in coping with the fast teamwork of the visiting forwards. After failing to convert a penalty kick, the Shanghai team scored their first goal before the first half ended. In the second half, the visitors displayed brilliant tactics and within ten minutes scored twice. It was only through a mid-run in the last few minutes that the home team succeeded in scoring their only goal.—Central News

DROP FROM MIDFIELD AFTER TRY

REFEREE'S PERMISSION TO RETURN TO GAME

IMPORTANCE OF NO. 1 AND THE HOOKER IN THE TIGHT

(By A. Wemyss.)

EDINBURGH, AUGUST 28.

ON SEPTEMBER 1, BOTH IN THE FIFTEEN-A-SIDE GAMES IN ENGLAND AND WALES AND IN THE "SEVEN"-AT EARLSTON, THE RECENT ALTERATIONS IN THE RUGBY RULES CAME INTO EFFECT. THEY WERE MADE BY THE INTERNATIONAL BOARD, AND ADOPTED BY EACH OF THE HOME UNIONS.

The circular issued to the clubs by the S. R. U., in which the laws altered are quoted in full, is a long one, and the following is a summary of the points which will at once concern the players, officials, and followers of the game.

THE KICK-OFF RULE NOW PROVIDES THAT A DROP SHALL BE TAKEN FROM MIDFIELD AFTER A TRY NOT CONVERTED.

Law 10 now states that a player leaving the field for any reason must not only ask to be allowed to go off, but must also have the referee's permission to return to the game.

When we come to Law 15 we straight through the scrum; or (5) if it enter the scrum and is kicked out at either side between the lines of the feet of the opposing front row forwards.

(k) No foot of the first three feet of the front row forwards of each team on the side on which the ball is being put in shall be raised or advanced until the ball is past that foot. Other feet may be raised or advanced as soon as the ball is fairly in the scrum.

FOOT FAULT RULE IN TENNIS

Auxiliary Service Line Proposal

ASSOCIATIONS VIEWS INVITED

London, September 17.

Early this year, at the annual meeting of the International Lawn Tennis Federation, among the subjects discussed was the proposal of the South African Lawn Tennis Union that No. 7 of the rules should be modified and the following substituted in its place:—"The server shall, throughout the delivery of the service, keep both feet behind (i.e. further from the net than the base-line.)"

By this amendment it was hoped to obtain greater simplicity in a rule which at present is very difficult to administer. The matter finally was referred to a special committee, comprising M. Rene Lacoste (France), Dr. H. O. Behrens (Germany), Mr. P. H. Stevens (Great Britain), Mr. T. B. Barker (South Africa), and a delegate to be nominated by the United States Lawn Tennis Association.

The results of this committee's deliberations have now been made public.

Committee's Ruling
The committee's recommendation is that an auxiliary line should be drawn behind the base-line, behind which the server must stand.

It will be noted that, although under this new proposal, the player is further from the net, he is obliged to keep one foot only behind the auxiliary line.

This simplifies the linesman's duty, because he is relieved from the necessity of watching the free or swinging foot; in fact, all he has to do is to satisfy himself that one foot is behind the line at the moment of impact of ball and racket.

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BADMINTON MEETING

The first meeting of the executive committee of the newly formed Hong Kong Badminton League will be held this evening, in St. Andrew's Church Hall, when important business, relative to the constitution of the league and of the rules to govern it, will be discussed.

HONG KONG GIRL WINS TWO TITLES IN MIDDLESEX TENNIS

"Mighty Atom" Carries All Before Her

13-YEAR-OLD DEBARRED FROM WIMBLEDON!

London, Sept. 3.

Miss Gan Hoahing, the 13-year-old, British-born Chinese girl whose uncle is in Hong Kong, won two titles in the Middlesex junior lawn tennis championships at the Herga Club, Harrow, on Saturday.

There was a large crowd to watch this "mighty atom." Miss Hoahing, beat a tall, well-built girl of 17, yet Miss Hoahing, good enough to beat girls who have been accepted for the British junior championships at Wimbledon, is herself not allowed to enter because she is too young!

Miss Hoahing's victories prove the fallacy of the rule that no boy or girl shall be permitted to play in the National junior championships under the age of 14 and over 17 years and 11 months. It is time the Lawn Tennis Association considered entries for the junior championships exactly as they do those for the major championships—on skill alone. A committee to examine every entry form and exclude players who are not good enough would prevent the numbers being too large, and remove the reason for the age limit.

Fleetness Of Foot

Miss Hoahing played a remarkably clever game against Miss Notley. The elder and stronger girl was the more forceful, and she made Miss Hoahing run about the court a good deal. But Miss Hoahing's fleetness of foot allowed her to get to wide-hit balls which she returned with perfect length. She was so very certain in her strokes that she wore Miss Notley down.

THE CHINESE BOXERS' WORLD CHALLENGE

20 Selected For Two Years' Training

Shanghai September 28.

The Chinese Boxers Association are making preparations to select a number of pugilists to go abroad for bouts with famous fighters. The Association has decided to select twenty persons and subject them to rigid training for two years. A special party will be sent to Japan to challenge Japanese boxers.—China Times.

Golf Requires Iron Nerves To-day

(By F. J. C. Pignos)

There is no doubt that sport to-day makes a greater demand upon nervous and physical energy than it did in the past. He who wishes to succeed must be not only highly skilled, but also trained to a state of mind that will enable him to meet the tense situation which generally arises at the conclusion of any important event.

No game makes a greater demand upon nervous energy than golf. Probably because it is slow in action, it calls for tremendous nerve control. There is so much time to think. With a big crowd following the final phases of a big tournament or championship, there is much to distract the mind of the player. And yet all the time the golfer must maintain concentration.

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WHAT THE RECENT TEST SERIES REVEALED

LAU PING-PU WINS CHAMPIONSHIP AT ST. PAUL'S SWIM

Gives House Leading
Position

CHAN LAI-NAM PLUCKY
RUNNER-UP

Winning the 50 Yards and 100 Yards free style events, Lau Ping-pui secured the individual championship at the annual Inter-House Swimming Sports of St. Paul's College at the European Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday, and enabled Black House to win the championship.

Although he won the 50 yards free style in the very good time of 28 3/5 secs., Lau was unable to maintain his speed in the 100 Yards event and finished in the poor time of 51 4/5 secs.

Chan Lai-nam (Red), who was second in the individual championship, gained all the five points won by his House. He won the 100 Yards back-stroke and was second in the 50 Yards free style. After gaining a lead of 10 Yards in the first 50 Yards of the back-stroke, he failed to maintain his speed and allowed Lam Ching-moon (Gold) to reduce the gap to three yards at the finish.

Breast-stroke was adopted by all the competitors in the 400 Yards free style event. After increasing his lead at every turn, Liu Iu-ting (Green) won the race by two lengths. This event gave Green House second place in the Championship.

The following were the results—

50 Yards free style—

1. Lau Ping-pui (Black)

2. Chan Lai-nam (Red)

3. Sham Ka-mong (Brown)

Time: 28.3.5 secs.

100 Yards free style—

1. Lau Ping-pui (Black)

2. Sham Ka-mong (Brown)

3. Cheuk Wa-to (Black)

Time: 51.4.5 secs.

200 Yards Breast-stroke—

1. Liu Iu-ting (Green)

2. Ho Kwok-ching (Brown)

Time: 8 mins. 10.5 secs.

400 Yards Free Style—

1. Liu Iu-ting (Green)

2. Ho Kwok-ching (Brown)

Time: 7 mins. 28 secs.

Final standings—

1. Black House 8 pts.

2. Green House 7 pts.

3. Red House 5 pts.

4. Gold House 5 pts.

5. Brown House 5 pts.

ARAB HORSES FOR NANKING

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sert animals would not stand a chance in a horse show in England, yet they are of the finest strain, well used to extremes of temperature. The temperature in the desert often rises to 125 degrees and even 130 degrees in the shade, and in winter there is often a few degrees of frost.

Nearly all the animals brought over to China have excellent records, some have won several races at Bagdad and others have won prizes in the Bagdad Horse Show. They stand from 14.2 to 15.1 hands high. In addition to insulating on a pedigree accompanying each animal it was also necessary to obtain certificates showing their quality from the two senior British veterinary officers in Iraq, the Inspector-General of the Veterinary Service, and the Director of Veterinary Services.

Special Feed

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ANOTHER SOUTH AFRICAN GOLFER FOR ENGLAND

Grimsdell Encouraged by
S. F. Brew's Performance

Johannesburg, September 1.
The success of the South African golf champion, S. F. Brew, overseas is already having repercussions in this country.

Encouraged by Brew's performances in England and on the Continent, Robert Grimsdell, professional to the Royal Johannesburg Golf Club, is contemplating visiting England next year to take part in the British open and Continental tournaments.

If Brew makes the journey again, as is expected, Grimsdell hopes to accompany him.

RUGBY CLUB TRIAL TO-DAY

Forty Players Likely To
Be On View

Members of the Rugby Section of the Hong Kong Football Club are reminded that the first trial will be held to-day on the Club Ground, at 5.15 p.m.

Players are requested to note the side on which they will be playing as shown below and bring the requisite shirt.

Whites:—Rigg, Ferguson, Robertson, Tate, McGilchrist, Archer, Harbord, Turner, Meeke Munro, McLellan, Cumming Garrod Burch, Stewart, Castleton, Moutrie, Scott and Hislop.

Colours:—Hunter, Noble, Lammer, Griffiths, Gardner, McGregor, Redmond, Goldman R., Goldman L., Hutchison, Macintosh, McGugan, Edkins, Cherrill, Bradford, Kerr, Bramble, Peers, Walkden, Knowles, and Sharp.

FOOT FAULT RULE IN TENNIS

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Assists Umpire

The committee believe their proposal will assist the umpire in the chair in administering the service rule when there is no linesman or footfault judge.

They would like to receive the observations of National Associations on this proposal, which should be addressed to Mr. H. A. Sabelli, the Lawn Tennis Association, 28, Essex Street, London, W.C.2, by December 1, and they particularly recommend that it should be tried out in actual play in order that some experience may be gained as to advantages which the Committee believe will result from it.—Reuter.

DROP FROM MIDDLE FOR UNCONVERTED TRY

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Use Of The Feet

The moment the ball is past the outside foot of No. 1 he may use that foot, and he will naturally follow the ball into the scrum to assist the hooker and keep the ball from coming out again. The intervening feet of 1 and 2 must not be moved until the ball passes each one in succession. In actual practice these feet will never come into the reckoning since the hooker and No. 1 can act at the same moment, and they will do all that is necessary to get possession of the ball.

There has always been a loophole in it, and it conveys to all who are not conversant with the arts of scrummaging and hooking a wrong impression.

But one other point should be noted, mainly by referees and some spectators. If the ball suddenly shoots out behind forward No. 1, and that is between the first and second rows, the game goes on. One has often seen the ball put in again because it has not come out at the back of the scrum.

is a preliminary one and if the experiment proves successful further consignments will be made. It is understood that at Nanking the Arab stallions will be crossed with China pony mares. The Arab mares will be crossed with the China pony, as it is the intention, at present, to increase the stock of Kuchai Arab at Nanking by inter-breeding.

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BARSON OFFERING STERN CHALLENGE TO STOKES' BATTING

SHANGHAI CRICKET
AVERAGES

BOOTH WITH MOST WICKET
HEADS BOWLERS

As it has been decided not to play the outstanding league match, only those players participating in the interport trials will have a chance of bettering their averages in the respective departments, writes the "North China Daily News."

The following are the complete statistics to date:

BATTING

1. F. Stokes 15 3 627 115 68.92

A. J. Barson 17 3 632 111 45.14

R. Marshall 10 2 330 102 41.25

R. Booth 17 2 514 126 34.27

D. W. Leach 17 1 548 73 34.25

M. J. Divercha 15 3 385 69 25.58

R. D. Gillespie 13 1 338 143 28.17

N. W. Keyworth 7 0 193 55 27.57

O. G. Simpson 17 1 416 91 26.00

H. D. Sevens 15 2 337 81 25.80

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A. C. Sinclair 16 2 311 98 22.21

E. P. Humphreys 16 1 217 78 21.13

T. W. R. Wilson 13 1 251 71 20.92

J. C. Jenkins 14 2 247 66 20.58

L. Col. Pelly 17 2 305 50 20.33

R. W. Edwards 14 0 276 88 19.71

D. D. Carter 8 3 98 42 19.60

C. J. Smith 16 0 311 53 19.44

W. E. Grieve 11 5 110 24 18.33

H. P. Madar 12 2 181 34 18.10

G. B. Elliott 9 1 138 42 17.25

N. K. Crawford 12 1 170 24 17.00

K. A. J. Farlow 16 2 152 25 16.89

J. M. Pearson 16 1 253 77 16.87

I. H. Kendall 7 3 82 45 16.40

F. E. T. Marshall 8 0 130 49 16.25

J. A. Isaacs 19 1 250 56 16.12

J. C. Pullen 13 3 161 38 16.10

Sgt. Sellars 10 0 157 42 15.70

S. M. Aston 12 1 171 53 15.55

S. F. Shroff 19 1 266 46 14.89

T. H. Darvill 13 1 176 42 14.67

Lieut. Home 12 1 161 29 14.64

Sgt. Mowatt 12 1 161 45 14.64

J. F. Farlow 16 2 152 24 14.62

R. F. Shroff 12 2 146 43 14.60

F. A. M. Elliott 7 0 101 30 14.43

K. Foot 11 7 57 22 14.25

H. A. Coward 15 1 198 47 14.14

C. E. Ollerdesen 14 0 195 44 13.93

Sign. Lowe 8 1 97 22 13.86

H. Rogerson 9 2 96 28 13.71

Sgt. Cartwright 10 4 80 25 13.33

W. M. Cochran 15 0 193 44 12.87

P. Madar 16 1 193 36 12.87

Sgt. Dalloway 9 1 102 31 12.75

E. F. Farlow 16 2 152 25 12.69

T. L. Rawthorne 7 1 75 25 12.50

F. A. Pitts 10 0 123 29 12.30

V. Evans 10 0 123 45 12.30

A. J. Madar 18 1 208 54 12.24

A. J. Willis 12 0 146 50 12.08

T. H. Wood 7 2 100 17 11.70

E. C. Baker 9 0 104 35 11.56

H. E. Orr 11 2 105 30 11.67

F. Kellner 8 3 55 23 11.00

A. J. H. Bower 12 1 120 23 10.91

F. R. L. Carey 10 0 169 59 10.90

H. Meston 18 5 26 25 10.83

A. G. White 10 3 73 26 10.45

A. G. Allen 9 0 60 28 10.00

J. Wilkinson 9 1 80 19 10.00

* Denotes not out.

BOWLING

O. M. R. W. Ave.

R. Booth 23 61 63 9.00

J. F. Stokes 136 26 37 9.75

A. Lingard 70 14 37 14 9.75

V. W. L. Stanion 50 13 57 15 10.47

H. Rogerson 113 20 37 32 10.53

T. L. Rawthorne 117 44 37 32

Commerce and Finance.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

QUEEN'S COLLEGE

THE ANNUAL SWIMMING
SPORTS will be at the Y. M.
C. A., Kowloon, on **THURSDAY,**
October 4th, at 2.30 p.m.

**NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGE**

S. E. Levy And Co. And A.O.F.C. Quotations

The following quotations from New York have been received by Messrs. E. Levy and the American Oriental Finance Corporation.

	Closing	Opening	Non
NY/London	4.01%	4.92	5.02%
London Dec.	1231	1223	1226
Mar.	1243	1237	1239
Milk Dec.	113%		113
Butter Dec.	1442		1473
Mar.	1480		1504
Wheat Dec.	100%		98%
May	100%		99%
Corn Dec.	76%		76%
May	78%		77%
Wheat May	87		83
TICKS:			
Mer Smelt	33		34%
Suburn	23%		25
on Gas NY	26%	28%	28%
Port	8%	8%	8%
il Bo & Sh	10%	10%	10%
Motor	23%	23%	23%
tel Tel & Tel	9%	9%	9%
ew's Inc	27%	27%	28%
Inteity	45	45	46
Port Ward	26%	25%	26%
Distill	18%	18%	19%
NY Cent	21%		21%
tan Oil NJ	42		42%
S. Steel	32%	32	32%

The following quotations from London were received last night between 80 p.m. and 10.30 p.m.

Silver: Spot 22-7/16 (last close),
2% (last recd.), 3/16 up (change).
Silver Forward 22-9/16 (last close),
2% (last recd.) 8/16 up (change).

Silver Report:—India bought, speculators bought and sold. China sold. Offerings small. Market steady.

London: 141/8 (last close), 142/2 1/2 (last close), 2 1/4 up (change).
 London: Rubber—Selling rate: 4.92 1/2 (last close), 4.92 1/2 (last read), 1/2 down (change).
 London/Paris Selling rate: 74.28 (last close) 74.28 (last read), unchanged.
 Liverpool Cotton—Jan: 6.63 (last close), 6.57 (last read), .06 down (change).
 Liverpool Wheat—Dec: 5/5 1/4 (last close), 5/8 1/4 (last read), 1/4 down (change).
 London Rubber—Jan-Mar: (buyers). 7/16 1/2 (last close), 7-3/16 (last read), 1/8 down (change).
 London Rubber—Jan-Mar: (sellers). 7/16 (last close), 7-5/16 (last read), down (change).
 London Rubber—Jan-Mar: at noon (buyers), 7-3/16 (change).

London's Forecast
A forecast from London on the probable trend of the New York market, states:—

Cotton prices may open lower but brokers are fairly unanimous that the selling has reached its limit. Wall Street is expected to open steadier. Yesterday's sharp setback is considered to have been rather overdone, though the sharp appreciation in the Dollar is viewed with some mis-

In Wheat, the Winnipeg market is extremely vulnerable and prices would be much lower in the absence of Gov-

ment support.

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BOMB EXPLOSIONS RECALLED

Wanchai Police Libel Hearing Continues JAPANESE CHARGED

The bomb explosions, which occurred on the staircase of No. 87 Jaffee Road on August 23 and on September 8, were recalled yesterday afternoon at the Central Magistracy, by Detective Sergeant Pithers at the resumed hearing of the charge of alleged libel against Goro Kurata, unemployed Japanese photographer, before Mr. E. W. Hamilton.

Defendant is charged on two counts. The first is that on August 31 he published a false and defamatory libel concerning the Hong Kong Police Force, in the form of an anonymous letter addressed to the "Inspector of Police," Hong Kong, which contained the following: "All these heads are the best friend of the Police Department of Wanchai and it goes without saying that the Police in Wanchai, are under the influence of bribery." The second charge, similarly worded, concerned an anonymous letter to the "Protector of Chinese," Hong Kong.

Mr. T. Murphy, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence (Crime), is conducting the prosecution.

After further evidence the case was adjourned until Monday afternoon.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

One case of typhoid fever was reported in the Colony during the 24 hours ended October 1.

The s.s. Nellore will leave here on Saturday at noon for Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, Osaka, and Yokohama.

The s.s. Santhia will leave here to-morrow at 6 a.m. for Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe, and Osaka.

Rainfall in the Colony during the 24 hours ending 10.30 a.m. to-day was 1.07 inch. The total rainfall since January 1 is 96.23 inches, as against an average of 78.39 inches.

After having been bitten by a dog, the property of Tang Yu-tung, 45 No. 317 Hennessy Road, Kan Po, a married woman of the same address, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

Yuen Ping, a fisherman from Mok Sik Village, Tsun Wan, was admitted to the Kwong Wah Hospital yesterday, suffering from severe injuries sustained during a dynamite explosion while fishing. It was stated that he used the dynamite for fishing.

Fine cases of typhoid fever, one case of paratyphoid fever and three cases of meningitis were reported in the Colony during the week ended September 29. During the same period one person died from typhoid fever, two from meningitis, and 45 from tuberculosis.

Lee Chung, master of junk No. 1024A, has reported to the Police that during a sudden squall his boat was capsized near buoy No. A1. He was rescued by members of the crew of the Blue Funnel Line's steam launch "Ares" assisted by Police Launch No. 8. The cargo was later recovered.

Chan Fook coxswain of the steam launch, "Lee Shing," has reported to the Police that while he was coming out of the Yaumati typhoon shelter, he collided with sampun No. 1703, which capsized. Lo Tau, the only boatman on board the junk was rescued by the crew of the launch.

For being found with 22 taels of raw opium in her possession at No. 17 Nam Chung Street, Ng Chun, a 21-year-old married woman, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, with the option of paying a \$860 fine, by Mr. E. L. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

Wong Wal-kwai, a 28-year-old married woman, was fined \$50 by Mr. E. L. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for keeping an unregistered motor car at No. 169 Chung Sha Wan Road, third floor.

The s.s. Rawalpindi left Shanghai yesterday and is due here on Friday at 7 a.m.



While employees of his Aluminum Company of America were striking for higher wages, Mr. Andrew Mellon was in Europe buying art. It was rumoured that he paid the Soviet Russian Government \$1,500,000 for this painting Raphael's "Alba Madonna." The Soviet's Hermitage Museum, in Leningrad, where the painting hangs, has some of the finest works of the Italian master.

POSITION FAVOURS ADVANCE

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Bonds:—High-grades were unchanged. Second-grade issues were easier.

Grains:—While good cash premiums continue, the weakness of the foreign markets is temporarily nullifying the strong features of the domestic situation. We feel that pressure of speculative liquidation will recur on all bulges until the market receives some new stimulating influences. Total sales: Wheat—31,809,000 bushels, Corn—9,509,000 bushels.

Cotton:—The Trade was buying sparingly and, pending the issuance of the Government Bureau report, speculative interest is not likely to increase materially.

Rubber:—Buyers found offerings drying up and we think the buying movement must gain momentum before confidence returns. Total sales:—582 lots. —Reuter.

Market Factors

The following telegram was received by Messrs. S. E. Levy from Reuter:

Favourable factors prior to the opening of the markets: (1) The volume of trading has remained small on the reaction which, so far, has not exceeded technical proportions. (2) In spite of a slight setback in steel activity this week, the outlook is regarded as brighter.

Unfavourable factors were: (1) The scarcity of buying orders under the market, together with the weakness of commodities, notably wheat and cotton, are disturbing factors. (2) The erratic movements in foreign exchanges contribute to the prevailing uncertainties.

The following telegrams were received by Messrs. S. E. Levy & Co. through Reuter last night:—

Stocks are quiet and easy, with minor fractional losses predominating. Moreover, with confidence lacking, a further moderate recession will not be surprising.

The American Smelting & Refining Co. has declared a dividend of \$4.25 per share on the company's 7 per cent. First Preferred cumulative stock, thus clearing up its accumulated dividends. —From Messrs. White, Weld.

The earnings report of Montgomery Ward, which will be published soon, will make good reading. The stock acted well recently.

An increasing amount of cotton is going into the Loan plan and we think that prices are nearing the low levels.

E. A. Pierce Co.'s Report. In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondent for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company New York state:—

"Stocks:—It is impossible to draw any definite conclusions from a market like to-day's, but evidently there is no particular liquidation hanging over the market and, to that extent, the situation seems to be satisfactory."

BANKER CONVENTION THIS MONTH

Roosevelt To Speak

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

New York, To-day.

President Roosevelt, and the United States Treasury Secretary, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, will be included in the speakers at the American Bankers' Convention at Washington, held from October 22 to October 25.

President Roosevelt will speak on the evening of October 24.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

WINNIPEG WHEAT FRENZY

(Continued from Page 1)

Bedlam reigned in the pit where the market was hammered by Eastern and Chicago selling, but a Government agency was later credited with rescuing prices from further collapse.

All futures closed at 3½ cents per bushel lower. The decline in prices means a heavy loss to the Canadian wheat pool which holds vast stocks of wheat.—Reuter.

GOVERNMENT NOT TAKING OVER MACKINERY

(Continued from Page 1.)

Sir George Perley, the Acting Premier, informed Reuter that the Government had received no such request. The reports were without foundation as far as the Government was concerned, he said.—Reuter.

Weary Of International Conference

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"The Exchange Fund was established solely to iron out excessive fluctuations. I have an idea that we are getting a little weary of international conferences which seem to require a most favourable atmosphere," he said. "I think that perhaps for the present we would do better to confine ourselves to more private discussions and conversations." —United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

be satisfactory.

"Wheat:—Liquidation was again heavy, influenced by the weakness of the Winnipeg market on reports of the possibility of regulatory measures. Liverpool prices declined on cheaper French offerings and owing to the fact that there is a large amount of old Argentine wheat remaining in Liverpool.

"Cotton:—Hedging was small. The cotton-goods markets are showing more resistance. Private estimates of the crop are showing increases. Regardless of the yield, the Government will loan to farmers 12 cents per bale of cotton. The tone of the market was steadier and Trade buying continued.

"Rubber:—The better action of the market to-day is considered primarily to be a technical rebound. The advance was stimulated by some foreign buying." —Reuter.

THE PHILHARMONIC SEASON

Sir Thomas Beecham's Programmes

TWELVE CONCERTS PLANNED

The Royal Philharmonic Society announces twelve concerts in the coming season, as against eighteen—which was an unprecedentedly high number, not quite justified by public support—in 1933-34.

Nine of these will be conducted by Sir Thomas Beecham, one by Sir Henry Wood, one by Sir Hamilton Harty, and one by Felix Weingartner. Sir Henry Wood's concert, on December 6, will be a celebration of the 250th anniversary of Bach's birth.

Sir Hamilton Harty will receive the society's gold medal at the concert which he is to conduct on November 22. The programme includes his own violin concerto, in which Paul Beard, the leader of the Philharmonic orchestra, will be the soloist. Dr. Weingartner will conduct a Beethoven programme, including the Ninth Symphony on January 17.

The opening concert, on October 13, will begin with Elgar's "Cockaigne" overture, and will include Schubert's "Tempest" music, a novelty for London. Myra Hess will play Beethoven's fourth concerto. The second programme consists of works by Haydn and Mozart. Jan Smetslin will be the soloist.

On November 8, Sir Thomas will conduct a Darius Memorial Concert, including "Soudrift," in which William Parsons and the London Select Choir will sing. The latter programmes include a new oboe concerto by Gordon Jacob, Shostakovich's first and fourth symphonies, third concerto, with the composer as soloist; Dvorak's violin concerto, with Alma Moodie, and Borodin's first symphony in E flat. It will be the society's 123rd season.

ANCIENT COLONY IN RUSSIA

Valuable Fund During Excavations

Over 120 places of ancient settlements have been discovered in the Taman Peninsula, as a result of archaeological excavations carried through in recent years in the Azov-Black Sea Region.

Some of these settlements are towns and villages of the Scythian period, and indicate that the inhabitants lived by hunting and agriculture. Many of the settlements had arisen in Roman times, and a colony of ancient Greece also existed here.

Medieval settlements have also been discovered, and traces of a large Italian colony have been found in Tacinogor. Several archaeological expeditions will work this year in the region.

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IRISH PLAY IN AMERICA

Mr. De Valera "Misled In Controversy"

ABBEY PLAYERS' TOUR

Dublin.

It was announced recently that the Abbey Theatre Players will leave Ireland on Sept. 29 for an extensive tour of America and Canada. They will be absent until the middle of June next. They will appear at the Martin Beck Theatre, New York, following the D'Oyly Carte Company, who will be making their first appearance in New York.

Mr. E. Wickes, the American manager of the tour, in an interview, stated that Mr. de Valera had been misled regarding the report from America concerning the controversy over the playing of certain Irish plays. There had been protest in a few isolated cases in the past, but these had been satisfactorily adjusted.

The company would make no change in the repertoire presented the last tour, but it would be made plain that the Free State Government would not hold themselves responsible for the playing of two plays, Sean plays selected.

Mr. de Valera had objected to O'Casey's "The Plough and the Stars" and J.M. Synge's "Playboy of the Western World" in America. The dispute has now been settled.

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Marschner, a popular German composer of the early 19th century, is frequently performed in Germany.

His "Templar and the Jewess" is based on Scott's "Ivanhoe." The Munich production was forbidden by the local representative of the Ministry of Propaganda. The refusal was worded as follows:

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The Age Of Noise

Machinery, so increasingly potent to destroy men's bodies by new weapons of war, is engaged during times of peace in destroying their spirits by new noises. As the uproar from a score of different sources grows ever louder, so indignant protest rises higher; yet hitherto, not nearly enough has been done to mitigate this intolerable nuisance. Expert opinion agrees with common sense in regarding street noises as being more injurious to the nerves than industrial noises, because the former are non-rhythmic, and the human system cannot accustom itself to them as it can to the sustained din of, for example, a factory. While, therefore, society is amply justified in suppressing disturbing sounds of every kind, it must inevitably concentrate, first and foremost, on the sounds of traffic. In this direction many attempts have been made, and in many countries. From London comes news of the latest, in which city the sounding of motor horns at night is henceforward to be an offence punishable by fine. This, we learn, is the first step in an anti-noise campaign, to be carried out on scientific lines, and stress is laid on the value of the silencer, which is stated to be now almost perfect. That will be good news to the modern world if, and only if, the use of silencers is insisted on more firmly than has been done in the past, most of all in the case of that notorious offender the spluttering motor-cycle.

Society, in truth, has been amazingly patient in presence of the noise nuisance, almost as patient as it still remains in face of the death-roll of the roads. But protest has never been quite voiceless, even if the voice has been often a still and small one, almost drowned in the roar of the traffic. Painfully little, however, has as yet been accomplished by expostulation. Not that the quietists (if one may borrow an old doctrinal name) have been content to rely on aesthetic or sentimental reasons only. They have wisely at all times laid emphasis on the aspect of public health. In July, 1928, the subject came prominently before the British Medical Association at its annual meeting, and special mention was made of the serious position of city hospitals. Later in the same year, a deputation from the Medical Association, and the People's League of Health, presented the matter upon Mr. Neville Chamberlain, then Minister of

Health, who expressed a desire to have fuller data collected. Working on exactly that line, the National Safety Council of the U.S.A. concluded, after a three years' survey, that noise is a directly contributing factor in accidents, while the Noise Abatement Commission of New York decided that strident sound impairs the hearing, strains the nervous system, causes exhausting sleeplessness, and generally makes for inefficiency of work. We are all, of course, only too well aware of these things; but it is often useful to have even the clearest impressions fortified by statistical research and convincing evidence. It has been well said that "noise is on the payroll of the average business in the form of impaired efficiency and nervous strain."

Notwithstanding all this, can it be said that the nuisance has been checked? Is there, on the contrary, a country in which it has not grown worse? Three years ago, a Noise Abatement Association was formed in Britain, to be followed and then joined by an Anti-Noise League. Only a few weeks ago the two bodies, now practically one, held a conference at Oxford — no longer, as those who have visited it know, a city of cloistered calm, but a place from which Matthew Arnold's "Scholar Gipsy" would fly to-day with redoubled speed. The English papers which wished that conference well were none too expectant of seeing very much achieved by means of its efforts or any other agency. Yet the friends of stillness must not abandon their cause. They are not optimistic enough, whether here or anywhere else, to dream of restoring an era in which the ear was not perpetually deafened by loud-speakers within doors and by motor traffic outside. They know that there is scarcely a place left in this age of noise for "retired Leisure that in trim gardens takes his pleasure," since the klaxon and the changing gear can penetrate almost any sanctuary. But endurance and resignation have surely their limits. More and more there is need of stricter laws, more stringently administered. We must not relinquish our natural right to enjoy, even in this comparatively minor sense, a modicum of "peace" in our time.

FRENCH WOMAN LEAVES \$62,500 ESTATE

Letters of administration for the local estate, amounting to \$62,500, of Madame Clotilde Mercedes de Inchausti, late of San Sebastian, who died at Marseille, France, on February 2, 1932, have been granted to Mr. H. J. Armstrong, solicitor.

HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

HOW RUMOURS BEGIN

During recent weeks many reserve officers of the British Regular Army were called upon by the War Office to report their whereabouts to the authorities.

These notices—always sent by registered post—were despatched at a time when the international situation was tense. This gave rise to much underground comment. Many people jumped to the wholly erroneous conclusion that the summons was connected in some way with the trouble on the Continent. The fact is that all reservist officers must report their addresses to Whitehall once a year. Some of them forget to do this. The recent notices were merely reminders of their obligation.

IF HITLER DIED

A publisher gives some interesting details of Hitler risk policies with insurance brokers.

Numerous books on the Nazi regime are now in process of being written. "Hail Hitler" appeared recently. Mrs. John Strachey's "Fascist Germany Explains" appeared on September 3. Others are on the way.

Publishers, anxious to cover their costs, have been taking out insurance policies against the risk of Hitler being killed or losing power: an event which would rob a Hitler book of much of its value.

From the beginning rates have been high. Recently they have almost doubled. The American Ambassador protested officially against the practice of insuring against any accident to President Roosevelt. Perhaps Herr von Hoesch will now be forced to take similar action on behalf of Herr Hitler.

Your Daily Smile!

Two negroes who had not seen each other in five years discovered each had been married during this time.

"What kind a woman did you all get, Mose?" asked Rastus. "She's an angel," Rastus; dat's what she is," replied Mose. "Boy, you sho is lucky. Mine's still living," Rastus muttered sorrowfully.

"Shall we have a friendly game of cards?" said the husband. "No," replied the wife, "lets play bridge."

An old lady paid her first visit to the Observatory, and was shown the moon and the planets through the telescope. "When her celestial sight-seeing tour was over, she said, 'Well, that's very wonderful, but what amazes me is how you found out their names.'"

WOMEN WITNESSES SAVE HAWKER

Confirm The Fact That Constable Kicked Him

Owing to the evidence of two independent women witnesses, Ma Yin, a hawker, was probably saved from a prison sentence before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning when he faced two charges of failing to produce a license and of common assault on an Indian police constable.

Ujager Singh, the constable, alleged that defendant failed to produce his hawker's license when he asked for it, and when he took defendant up to the station, he alleged that the hawker snatched his whistle and threw it to the ground. The shirt to which the whistle was attached was torn.

Defendant said that he admitted that he had not his license at the time, and was sending a boy for it when complainant kicked him and struck him.

Two women witnesses testified that the Indian constable did kick and strike defendant.

Mr. Hamilton, in dismissing the assault charge, said that the constable was "excessively rough," and that the case should be brought to the attention of the I.C.P.

Defendant, however, was bound over in the sum of \$5 for a period of six months, on the first count.

HOW WOMEN CAN STOP MAJOR CRIME

ORGANISED ACTIVITIES IN AMERICA

AMAZING SUCCESS SEEN

"WOMEN can stop kidnapping, racketing, the venal types of murder, and most major crime in the United States and have a perfectly grand time doing it."

So declared Mary Roberts Rinehart, the noted author, in commenting on the amazing success in cleaning up San Diego, California, of a group of women who carried out suggestions made by Mrs. Rinehart in a magazine article.

"All the women have to do," Mrs. Rinehart continued, "is to band themselves together, after the 'secret six' system which so terrorised the criminals of Chicago's underworld."

"Women love a cause. A glance over some of their organised activities in the last few years proves that. But most of the time the causes for which their aid is asked are too dull and uninteresting. Yet they love to band themselves together for any objective which, at the moment, appeals to them. On the contrary, it is almost impossible to get such organisations of men working except during the emotional stress of war."

"Since outlining what I thought women should do to put an end to the horror of the crime wave which has been sweeping this country, I have been almost buried under the mail which has poured in endorsing the plan and urging me to start a national organisation."

What San Diego Women Have Done

"I have received letters from the International Association of Police Chiefs, from men in the Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice, from the Police Chiefs of nearly all the large cities of the country. And the letters from women!"

"Most of the women want me to head an organisation. Nothing would please me more, were I physically able to do it. But it so happens that I have been ill almost ever since writing that article. I am not even able to walk up a flight of steps but once a day, as I try to get a weak heart back somewhere near normal. And it is imperative that I take things very easily, indeed, for some time to come."

"But I earnestly hope that some woman of ability and a flair for such things would take my place, and lead this movement to success, for I know it can be done. San Diego have done! It was a 'Consider what those women in hotbed of crime, racketeering, smuggling not only of ordinary wares but liquor, dope and whatnot. It was terribly corrupt. Most places where crime flourishes are politically corrupt. The two things go hand in hand.'"

The Organisation Of Secret Group

"So the women, taking their cue, I am told, from my suggestions, organised secret groups. One hundred women serving anonymously in each of the six councilmanic districts of the city, and listed not by name but by numbers, soon confounded the criminals, who had not feared the police—mostly honest—but impotent in the face of crooked political conditions. I wish the women of other communities would note how it was done, for therein lies the peculiar appeal of this secret, ennobling for a vital cause has for all women."

"Mrs. A. L. Simpson, who started the job in San Diego, appointed a 'No. 1' woman in each district. Each 'No. 1' woman appointed three more, and in turn appointed others until the committee of six hundred was complete."

"Now, the point is, what should these women do, once they are organised into this secret organisation for finding out just what is going on, and with the intention of stopping the sort of crime which either strikes terror to every woman's heart, such as kidnapping and murder, or preys

upon her pocketbook, such as the rackets levying tributes upon the delivery of her milk, the cleaning of her dresses and her husband's suits, and a hundred others?"

\$1 Out Of Every \$5 Goes To Racketeers

"By the way, Senator Capeland, after careful investigation, has estimated that these rackets boost the cost of living of the average family in a city from 20 to 25 per cent. Think of that! One dollar out of every five, or every four, of the income of the average head of a family going to racketeers! "I laid down a thirteen-point programme, in my article for them, as follows:—

"(A) Women to go to the polls and there to elect reliable men: The criminal votes.

"(B) Agitate without ceasing for the divorce from politics of all forces of law and order.

"(C) Press the firearms bill through Congress, and, having done so, take up regulation in the several states.

"(D) Attempt to add, automatically, ten years to any sentence where the malefactor has been carrying a weapon when arrested.

"(E) Agitate for state police.

"(F) Refuse to let the local community pass the crime buck to the State, and the State to Washington.

"(G) Watch the procedure in local criminal courts and fight for quick action.

"Taken For A Ride" In The Country

"(H) Watch the press and motion pictures. Do the pictures emphasise either the romance or the ease of crime? If they do, enter an instant protest with your local management.

"(I) Contact and encourage the local police. See that they are properly equipped.

"(J) If outside a city or town, contact the county sheriff. He, too, needs public encouragement, and equipment. Bandits escape through county roads. Men are taken for a ride and kidnappers race their victim through country roads and hide them in remote districts. Never before has the county sheriff faced such a condition.

"(K) Report any failure on the part of the police force, and follow this report up.

"(L) Serve on juries and be willing to take the witness stand against any lawbreaker.

"(M) And form your own secret six!"

Political Corruption The Root

"It is this last phase which has the most appeal to women, I think, and certainly its success in San Diego since I made the suggestion shows what can be done. But some of the other points are very important, also. It is the delays of the law as everyone realises, but so few seek to eliminate, which abet the criminal."

"It is the fact that the criminals are equipped with machine-guns, bombs, and every modern facility, while so many of our police forces are operating without proper weapons, without radios in patrol cars, and that sort of thing, which makes successful culmination of so many crimes possible."

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Professor: "What is it?"
Midwife: "A boy, sir."
Professor: "What does he want?"

To-day's Short Story.

THE PAL

By George W. Holmes

HER name was one of those you might encounter occasionally in any of the little drink-shops where men in blue jackets get confidential over their wine; that is, if the drink-shop was in some port south or east of Suez. Nothing uncommon in a woman's name cropping up; a good many did over those tables, especially that of White Loo, a woman who might have enslaved an Antony if she had possessed the stage props of Cleopatra, but Miss MacPhee was not mentioned in the manner White Loo was; she cropped up in conversation when men's names were on the talker's lips, and here and there, something like a MacPhee mythology gathered round the islands about her.

Benson told me he knew of her story, and he was supposed to know must, as we sat on our bunks with the port-window open to catch a breath of air while the Badaran swung gently in a slightly oily-looking sea outside one of the small island lagoons. We had steamed all day among those scraps of earth that seemed afloat on the sea rather than be fixtures to the bed of earth beneath.

Benson had been sullen, the day was heavy, one of those days when earth and heaven seem to perspire and are unable to escape the oven-heat of a relentless sun. Further, I gathered that a (sanguinary) Dutch trader had been insinuating his unwelcome attentions on Benson's preserves.

"Trade isn't what it was," he grumbled. "What the blazes the world's coming to I'm hanged if I can see." It seems to knock the fun out of things when women can fly from London to Australia and South Africa and tourists come to gaze at the creeks Conrad wrote about. Glad I was born when I was. We had some fun before this mechanised mess they call civilisation got its wings properly spread. I wouldn't have missed those days for worlds. Wonder what Miss MacPhee would make of it?"

"I seem to have heard of her," I hazarded cautiously. "Some yarn about holding an island?"

"You hear all kinds of yarns," said Benson crossly, filling his glass from my flask. "Most of 'em lies. Fine woman—sort men might pal on with and get no farther. Most of 'em I know you . . . well pal!"

"She came out—let's see, oh, I can't remember. It was before the war. Might as well date something before the Flood. It's nearly as difficult. Missionary. They planted her on an island not so far from here. Almost untouched then. Decent crowd of islanders. I know. I was young then. I had a girl there. Oh, pukka, yes. I was a romantic young ass, and I loved her. Ever loved?—but never mind that. You don't forget though, do you? All the worship of the world in a woman's face upturned to your own."

"Miss MacPhee wasn't like that. Tall, fair, blue eyes; mannish stride but limbs like a deer. She saw me with Teta—the girl—and tackled me. Quite all right as soon as she knew I was ready to marry the wench. Satisfied the religious strain in her, I suppose."

He curled his long legs upon the bunk and rammed the tobacco deeper into his pipe-bowl with a calloused thumb.

"She had another strain in her, my lad. Came from some old warring Scotman, I suppose. You never know with ancestry. She took hold of that island from the first day, and the islanders worshipped her. Any sickness—round she went with a thermometer and a medicine satchel. Cleared out a lot of rot by getting them to be more careful—you know what islanders are in some things. She had a neat place run up. Sort of low bungalow affair, and a flag-pole, and she ran up the Union Jack every morning and hauled it down at night. Some woman."

"Things were pretty peaceful those days. An odd canoe raid now and then, but her islanders hadn't been troubled for a long time and they weren't very warlike. Miss MacPhee never thought of anything like that, but one day Hamilton—he was running a liquor ship in those days—came ashore, and after she'd finished telling him what she

thought of him for selling drink to innocent natives, he just opened his big mouth and laughed at her. Conical chap."

"Miss MacPhee," he says, "I'm in agreement with you in the main. I won't hit ye below the belt by tellin' ye to reform some of their white betters before you start stoppin' them from sharing the adventures of civilisation, but I'll give ye a word of warnin' to show there's na ill feelin'. If ye take my advice ye'll get out of this. I hear queer

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "There Was Something Shady About The Man," by Karel Capek.

things. They tell me because they like the stuff I bring 'em. There's a raid planned on your islanders, and it'll be nasty. Will ye come along with me like a sensible woman and save your skin, for saving your presence, these islanders are a soft lot?"

"Miss MacPhee gave him the religious equivalent of saying she'd see him in hell first, and he told me afterwards that he could have hugged the woman, but all he said

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CONSTABLE FACES BRIBERY CHARGE

Admits Leaving Post When On Duty

Two charges were preferred against Lai Tat, constable No. 343, for attempting to obtain a bribe from Li Man-fat, and for leaving his post while on traffic duty at the junction of Wing Lok Street and Connaught Road Central, before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Defendant pleaded guilty to the second charge and denied the bribery charge.

The case was remanded until Monday afternoon. Bail was fixed at \$100.

SHAW AND ENGLISH SOCIETY

"Growing Up On Hypocrisy"

THE TECHNIQUE OF LIVING

Mr. Bernard Shaw criticized English hypocrisy when he presided at a lecture given by Madame Levinskaya, the pianist, at Malvern, in connection with the New Health Summer School. Commenting on her address on "A new technique of living," Mr. Shaw said:

"That does not concern me very much, because as I am in my 79th year it is rather late for me to get a new technique of living. I would have to acquire a new life before that would have any effect for me. But I would like to know how I should have lived. I am fairly convinced that I have not always been successful in finding out the right path, and there is still time to find salvation. "As you are a generally English audience, I may assume that none of you have any technique of living at all—that you have tumbled through life as best you can."

The "Awkward" English "In all questions of this kind you have to consider the psychological fact that, in English society, everybody has grown up on hypocrisy. That is what makes people so extremely awkward in many ways. It is not a mere physical awkwardness, but very few people know how to behave nicely and tactfully and get through life."

The reason is owing to this general demand for hypocrisy. If you are a female you are taught to behave like a lady, and you know perfectly well you are not a lady, but merely a human being. "And if you are a man you are taught not to be a man, but a

FOUR OWNERS OF DOGS FINED ON HONG KONG SIDE

Allowed Dogs To Go Unmuzzled

ONE CASE ADJOURNED

Summoned for allowing his dog to be at large in Stubbs Road on August 25 without a muzzle, Mr. D. E. Roux, of No. 115 The Peak, was fined \$10 by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Mr. F. H. Kwok, appearing for defendant, pleaded guilty to the summons, saying that the dog was never allowed to leave the garden. It happened that that day there were some workmen in the garden, and the dog slipped out unnoticed. Sergeant Major Sanders, R.A.O.C. of No. 7 East Block, Married Quarters, was fined \$4 for having no license for his dog.

Mrs. Ho Leung, of Tytan Villa, was fined \$10, for allowing her dog to be at large without a muzzle.

Discussion Over Muzzle

Summoned for allowing his dog to go abroad without a muzzle, Mrs. Lake pleaded not guilty for Captain H. Lake, of No. 9 Braemar Terrace.

Mrs. Lake said that the muzzle was around the dog's neck and was not off.

The Indian constable said that it was off, and the summons was adjourned for one week.

No Mistaken Identity

Mr. C. S. Rosset, of the Hong Kong Amusement Limited, was fined \$10, for allowing his dog to go out without a muzzle. At the last hearing Mr. Rosset pleaded not guilty saying that the constable had mistaken someone else's dog for his.

The Chinese constable, in evidence, said that he had followed the dog to Mr. Rosset's door and had spoken to the amah, who admitted the ownership of the dog.

ADVERTISING THAT WAS INDECENT

Three Chinese Editors Are Fined

Stiff fines were this morning imposed on three Chinese editors of Chinese newspapers by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy for inserting advertisements of an indecent nature.

Lui Ka-wai, Editor of the Chung Hing Po, of No. 608 Gage Street, was fined \$200, for publishing an indecent advertisement on September 9.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, appearing for the defendant, tendered a plea of guilty, but said that on the face of the advertisement, there is not enough evidence to prove that it was indecent in a revoking way. Mr. Hamilton said that these papers had been warned several times.

Luk Sze-kon, Editor of the Tai Chung Yat Po, was fined \$200. Defendant had had one previous similar summons.

Ho Ngau-suen, Editor of the Tsun Wan Yat Po, of Nos. 49-51 Gough Street, was fined \$200.

gentleman. There is a very great difference between an ordinary human man and a gentleman.

Head Brain Error

"I have long been convinced that the notion that the brain is in your head is a complete mistake. I have known men who have brains in their fingers and none in their heads whatever in the ordinary sense."

"You often find an extraordinarily clever and inventive mechanic who, if you asked him to describe what he does, is pitifully helpless. A brain is a thing that is all over you. A football player's brains are in his shins or in his toes."

Madame Levinskaya said that the basis of her new technique of living was to teach people how to co-ordinate their muscular actions with their brain.

"So few people," she said, "have any sort of co-ordination in their ordinary everyday actions. I once told a well-known doctor that 90 per cent. of the English people have no co-ordination. He replied: 'I entirely disagree. 99 per cent. have no co-ordination.'"



Welfare officials gave Ernest Booth, 72, of Saugus, Mass., the choice of giving up his four dogs or losing his Aki State relief allowance. They wouldn't go back on me, I won't go back on them," he said, choosing to save them from being chloroformed.

THE STYLISH SUBALTERN

DAYLIGHT ROBBERY IN KOWLOON

Dairy Farm Clerk Victim Of Base Ingratitude

ASSAULTED AND WRIST WATCH STOLEN BY COOLIE

A report of an assault and the robbery of a gold wrist watch at 1.30 p.m. yesterday in Austin Road, Kowloon, was made to the police by Ng Chak-kan, a clerk employed at the Kowloon branch of the Dairy Farm Ice and Cold Storage Company.

The clerk stated that he was accosted by Li Chung-kan, a coolie formerly employed at the Dairy Farm Company, who asked for money to buy food. He withdrew his purse, containing \$2.50, and was about to hand him 50 cents when he was struck over the head by a blunt instrument and knocked out. When he came to his senses, he found himself on the ground and his gold wrist watch stolen. The purse and its contents, however, remained untouched.

No arrests have yet been made.

BUILDING ORDER IGNORED

Condemned Houses In Wanchai Road

Summoned for failing to comply with a notice from the building authority in regard to houses No. 270 to No. 282, Anchal Road, Lai Cheuk-lai was fined \$50 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, appearing for defendant, pleaded guilty to a technical offence. He said that owing to economical reasons his client had engaged only one contracting firm to rebuild the premises, and that the verandahs were the only danger parts of the houses.

Mr. Hamilton imposed the fine of \$50 and gave defendant seven days to start work on the buildings.

U.S. BUSINESS FAILURES SHOW INCREASE

New York, To-day.—Business failures in the United States last week were 203, as against 182 for the previous week and 251 for the corresponding week of last year.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

U.S. CHINA MINISTER TO GO ON FURLOUGH

Shanghai, To-day.—The United States Minister to China, the Hon. Mr. Nelson T. Johnson, is expected here on October 8, when he will board the a.s. President Hoover, which is to take him to the United States on furlough.—Benton.

AIRLINER CRASHES HILLMAN AIRWAY DISASTER

6 PASSENGERS AND PILOT LOST

London, To-day.

The lives of six passengers and the pilot were lost when an aeroplane belonging to Hillman Airways crashed into the Channel three miles from Folkestone, while proceeding from Abridge, Essex, to Le Bourget yesterday.

The wreckage was found by a German cargo steamer, Leander, and the cross-Channel steamer Biarritz brought five of the bodies into Folkestone.

Rain was falling and visibility was very poor at the time of the disaster.

Three of the passengers were French, two British, and one American. Pilot W. R. Bannister was a wartime aviator of great experience. This is the first accident the Hillman Airways have had.—British Wireless Service.

Personal Pars

Passengers for Hong Kong by the R. M. S. Empress of Asia, which arrived to-day from Manila, included Mrs. S. A. Blecker, Mr. F. E. de Sousa, Mrs. E. O. Hodges, Mrs. A. Watson and Mr. R. F. Moreau.

42 GAMBLERS FINED IN KOWLOON

Two Raids Help To Swell Poor Box

As a sequel of two raids on Nos. 62 and 38, Hainhong Road last night, Detective-Sergeant Davies prosecuted 42 Chinese males at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones.

The first raid was made at 9.15 p.m. on No. 62, where Chan Hon, the master of the place, and twenty-one others were arrested. Chan Hon was fined \$25 while the 11 who appeared in court were each fined \$2, in default three days' imprisonment. The \$3 bail of each of the 10 absentees was estreated. The \$3.21, which was picked up on the floor, was given to the poor box.

The second raid was made at 11.24 p.m. when Chan Chun, the master, and 19 others were arrested. Chan was fined \$25, and the 17, who were in court were each fined \$2, in default three days' imprisonment, and the \$3 bail of each of the two absentees was estreated. This raid added another \$4.80 into the poor box.

CAMP BED STOLEN FROM S. S. SANTHIA

"I took the bed, but I did not know that it belonged to the complainant," admitted Liu Fan-san, a 38-year-old coolie, who appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of having stolen a camp bed from aboard the s.s. Santhia at 7 p.m. last night. Sentence of one month's imprisonment was imposed.

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THE PAL

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was 'All right, Miss MacPhee, ye ken your own business best, I reckon, and it's no for me to persuade anyone from their duty.' With that, he walked off but next morning Miss MacPhee found two cases of rifles, and a box of revolvers, and ammunition for both on the low stoep of her bungalow. 'She sat down and thought it over. She knew that Hamilton might be a drink seller, but she appreciated that he knew the islands as few people did. She dressed herself in her best dress and went to see the chief, had a long pow-wow, and the next day the whole male population paraded for her benefit. She found them easy to teach; they picked up the rifle business like picking pearls in Paradise—easy. They learned their drill pretty well, but she wasn't satisfied. She felt sure they would drop their rifles and run if anything really hefty came up against them, and she racked her brains for ideas and got one when she hauled down the Jack at night.

'She paraded them the next morning. Look—see,' she said, 'one big man King of England have flags like this wherever white feet tread. Him one big eye see everywhere while that man-flag floating—savvy—while him flag up, king he see. When down, king he sleep. He watch you while flag up. You beat other island men quick time while king he watch.'

'Pretty poor, she reckoned, but it might serve. It did. She ought to have been a man. Made a good soldier. Suppose a missionary is the nearest a woman can come to soldiering. Anyway, she got on with the drill and forgot her preaching; she made them build a kind of earth fort round her house and round the village. Primitive, but useful to shoot from behind. The days went on and nothing happened, and then, one night, just as she was hauling down the flag, one of her beach-watchers came running up excitedly.

'The first attack came at night, and they drove it off. The next came at dawn, and they were a pretty strong lot. Angry, too. Her first shot had killed one of the chief's pet sons. They tackled the beach in style, and landed in spite of the rifle fire. They were armed with rifles, too, and the threats they used against Miss MacPhee couldn't be printed in Sunday-school books.

'She noticed her men eyeing the flag, and she played on it, sort of 'England expects' motto. 'King him have his eye on you,' she told them. 'You shoot plenty.' 'Things were going pretty well when a fire-spear set her bungalow blazing. That didn't bother her; their ramparts were far enough outside, but what did bother her was the flagpole. It was attached to the building and it was beginning to smoulder at the base.

'To reach it she had to leave the shelter of the parapet, but she knew if that flag came down it was all up. She picked up an axe and began to walk to the pole. One arrow got her in the thigh, and there was worse to come, but she got there, and demolished the burning woodwork at that end of the building as coolly as if she was chopping firewood; then she cleared a patch of earth round the foot of



This is the house that cards 'built.' It's the residence on an 86-acre estate at Ridgefield, Conn., purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Ely Culbertson, professional bridge players. The late Frederic E. Lewis expended more than \$1,500,000 in developing the estate.

the pole and got back to her men somehow just as the last attack started.

'Whether they would have driven it off if Hamilton hadn't appeared in the offing no one knows, but give way it did, and the enemy went skulking down to their canoes just as Hamilton let drive with his Maxim.

'She was all out when he landed; the natives had carried her up to the Chief's hut and there she lay. Four bullet wounds and the arrow, but she just looked up at Hamilton and smiled. 'You were right,' she said. 'But promise if anything happens to me you'll never bring drink to this island.' Hamilton said he would have sworn hell white to please her, but he got about the business of doctoring her, and he got her right. Stayed there and nursed her, and then went and cleaned up the island that had tackled her.

'What... no, there's nothing else, only you wouldn't find many men with that kind of idea about their flag nowadays. It's got out-dated, I suppose, but it was rather fine, I thought. Yes, she got better. Where is she?

'She's married to Hamilton, you ass, and you'll be having dinner there to-morrow night if ever this damned boat moves from this benighted place, but don't ask for a drink. She's reformed him, and anyone who could do that could conquer the world I reckon. Their island's a model; well, of course, they're both getting on now, but you'll see the kind of woman she was marked in her eye yet.'

Benson poured out a stiff measure of whisky and uncured his legs. 'That's what I mean when I say I hate all this post-war-world stuff. It makes my bones ache. I don't envy the next generation, they'll be mighty marvellous in the air, I suppose, and you'll be able to drop in to Singapore from London, for afternoon tea, maybe, but the bottom will be out of all the fun unless they get going to Mars or the moon—I wouldn't mind being in on that,' he added wistfully. (The End.)

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The Hupeh Provincial Government has decided to raise contributions from among government employees for the relief of famine refugees in the province. All members of the Government are to contribute one month's salary while other officials will contribute, according to their grade.

How Women Can Stop Major Crime

(Continued from Page 5)

The root, of course, is political corruption. Women can take crime, might be unattractive as a means of gaining an easy living. 'And women can do the job. An army of women, aided by a militant minority of men, can accomplish this thing. They just need to be encouraged. Police chiefs tell me the number of kidnappings in this country is pitifully appalling. Very few of them are recorded in the newspapers, especially the 'little' ones—cases where a ransom of a hundred dollars, or three hundred dollars, is demanded. The frightened parents are told if they notify the police or the papers their child will be killed. They have the few hundred dollars demanded, and they pay it over.

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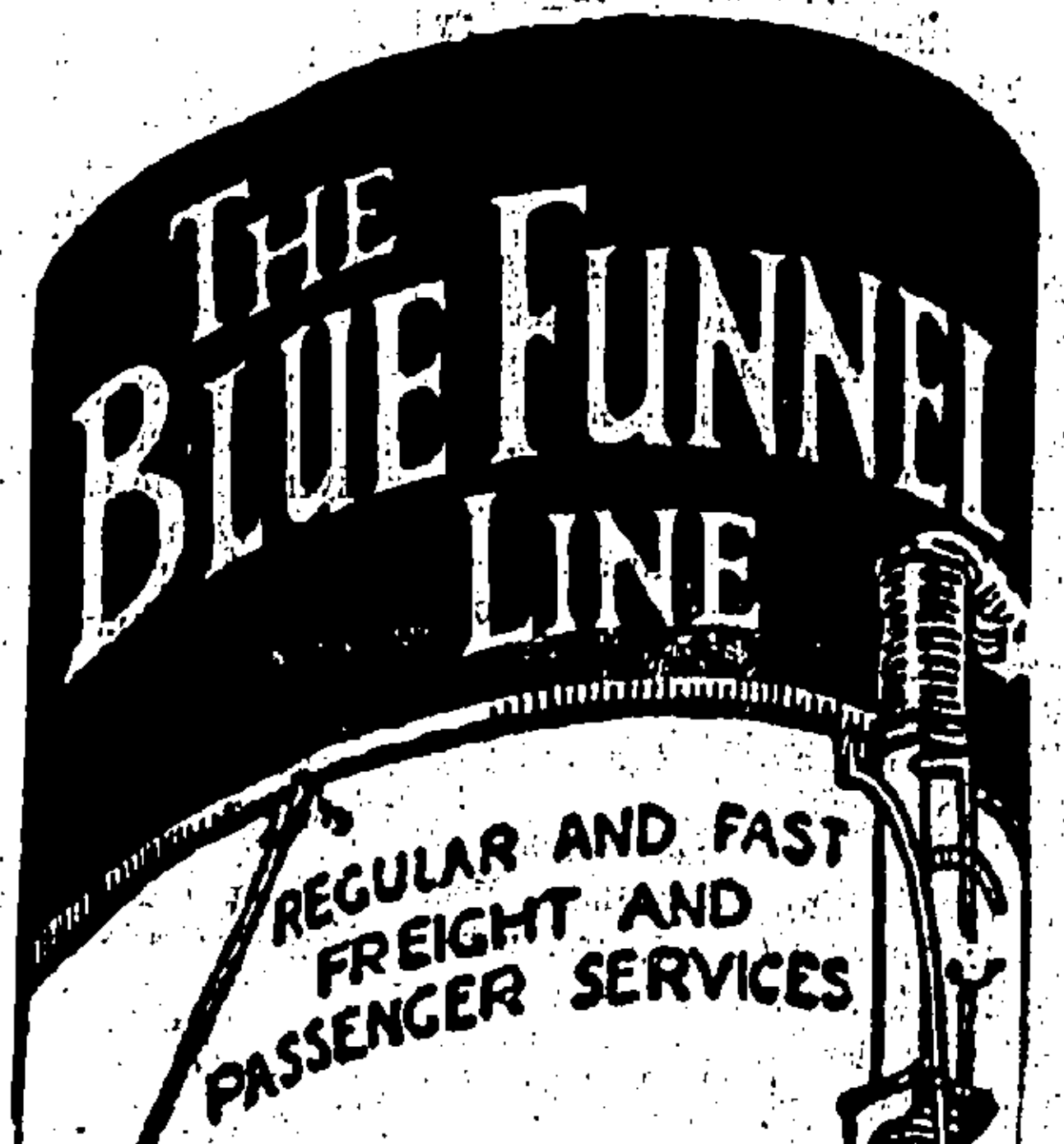
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**NEW AID SOUGHT
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**Ickes Wants A "Real"
Appropriation**
SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received October 3, 8.40 a.m.)
Washington, To-day.
Asked whether he will seek an additional U.S.\$1,000,000,000, the United States Secretary of Interior, Mr. Harold L. Ickes, said that he will ask the next Congress to grant a "real" Public Works appropriation because he thinks the Public Works programme has more than justified itself.
"I think we should go ahead with it until we are out of the depression," he said.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

**SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS
MEETS OPPOSITION**
**Executive Manifesto
Amendment Defeated**
London, To-day.
The Labour Party Conference at Southport yesterday rejected by a card vote of 2,146,000 to 206,000 the amendment to the Executive's manifesto, moved on behalf of the Socialist League, which is the left wing of the Party led by Sir Stafford Cripps.—British Wireless Service.

**NOT WAIVING RIGHT
TO CONTEST**
**Stock Exchange's First
Clash With Commission**
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(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received October 3, 8.40 a.m.)
New York, To-day.
It is disclosed that the Stock Exchange does not waive the right to contest the constitutionality of any Stock Exchange Control Commission ruling. The Exchange has circulated a letter to members not to transmit to a specialist any orders except market or limited price orders in view of the Commission's regulation forbidding a specialist, acting as a broker, to engage in any transaction except upon the market or limited price order.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

**GLOOM SHROUDS
WALL STREET**
**Nothing To Indicate
Break In Dullness**
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New York, To-day.
The stock market dullness continued yesterday with nothing outstanding to indicate an imminent break from the market.
Favourable factors yesterday were that the September business failures were the lowest this year, and the better drug business forecast.
Unfavourable factors were the heaviness of the wheat market, and the uncertainty of the foreign exchange.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

**PLAY SANCTUARIES
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**Scheme In Operation
In Britain**
Some of London's streets may be closed to vehicular traffic in order to provide play sanctuaries for children—some day.
The scheme is already in operation in certain provincial towns, and now Sir Wyndham Deedes, a member of the National Council of Social Service, is urging the Ministry of Transport to adopt the idea in London.
"This scheme is being considered by the London and Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee," a reporter was told at the Ministry, "but it is a long way from being put into operation yet."
"There are many things to be taken into consideration in such a matter before a decision one way or the other can be reached."
The Advisory Committee, if they favour the proposal, will make a recommendation to the Minister, and it will then rest with him whether or not the idea will be adopted.

**WHIPPET SAVED HER
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The bronze medal of the National Canine Defence League has been awarded to Tina, a whippet belonging to Mr. MacTaggart, a farmer, of Bridge of Urr, Dalbeattie, who saved her master's life when he was attacked by an infuriated bull.
The bull charged the farmer, tossed him twice, and was kneeling upon him, when the dog was called. Tina flew at the bull, and held on to his nose until the animal was driven off. Mr. MacTaggart escaped with severe bruises.

**HOSPITAL OUTRAGE IN
SHANGHAI**
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the International Settlement and the French Concession, on the day following the crime.
A haul of ammunition, revolvers, bombs and Communist literature was also made.—Reuter.

**COLD SNAP IN AMERICA
AIDS TRADE**
New York, To-day.—The wave of cold weather which is at present sweeping the United States is said to be stimulating retail sales.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

BRITISH COAL FOR SWEDEN
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